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WABASH TO FILL IN BIG TRESTLE

CONTRACT FOR 180-FOOT AQUEDUCT ALREADY MADE.

IMPROVEMENT WILL COST ABOUT \$17,000

Many Men Will Be Employed in Change—Start Work on Cement Culvert This Week.

The big trestle on the Wabash line on East Seventh street, in the north-east part of the city, is to be supplanted this summer by a dirt and concrete fill to cost between \$16,000 and \$18,000. Arrangements are already virtually completed and material with which to construct the aqueduct beneath the fill is being unloaded this week.

The improvement will require the employment of a large force of men this spring and summer and the conveyance of about 50,000 cubic yards of earth from some point along the line near here. Some of it will probably come from the hill immediately north of the Normal.

The Carmichael-Cryder Construction company of St. Louis, which will build the reinforced concrete aqueduct beneath the fill, are now unloading, mixing machines, lumber and forms, preparatory to starting actual work on the culvert within a few days.

Means Work for Many Men.
A force of about twenty men will be employed on the culvert, while many more will work on the dirt fill. The aqueduct is to be 180 feet long and 8 by 10 feet in dimensions to permit the passage of overflow water from the ditch there.

The contract for making the fill proper will probably be awarded within the next two weeks, so that the fill can be completed as quickly as possible. It is expected to be entirely finished within four months after work is begun. The fill will be about 536 feet long, or the same length as the trestle now is. The present trestle piling is about fifteen years old, though repairs are continually being made. The piling will remain, the dirt filling being merely piled over them.

The filling will be about fifty feet wide at the bottom and eighteen feet wide at the top, for the roadbed. The depth will range from a few feet at each end to about fifty feet at the center.

Is a Dangerous Place.
W. W. Greenland of Moberly, assistant engineer of the Wabash, who has been here the last two days directing the survey of the place and arranging for the preliminary work, returned this morning to Moberly. D. B. Gill of Moberly, and an assistant engineer, who has been here the last few days, will remain to direct and supervise the improvement.

The improvement has been under consideration by the Wabash officials about ten years, but no action was ever taken until the present time. The trestle, though always in fair condition, has been a dangerous place both for train traffic and for the numerous pedestrians—usually youths—who attempt to cross on the trestle, regardless of danger from trains or from falling.

While there has never been an accident recorded there, it was the scene of a hanging once. It was in the fall of 1909 that the Rev. E. A. Hathaway, Episcopal minister here, firing of a line, placed a rope about one of the ties and jumped off into oblivion and death.

HER MIND IS UNSOUND

County Court Sends Mabel Smith, 26, to State Hospital—Is Epileptic.

Miss Mabel Smith, the 26-year-old daughter of Mr. C. C. Smith, of this city, was declared of unsound mind and ordered sent to State Hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph by the county court this morning. She is an epileptic. She has been afflicted about fifteen years, it is said. Mr. Smith is a janitor at the Normal.

NORMAL ALUMNI FEAST, TALK

Annual Banquet to 50 Has Been Ends With Election of Officers—Bert Cooper, President.

The alumni banquet, marking the formal closing of the commencement exercises of the Normal school, was held in the Normal library last night. About fifty attended.

The banqueters assembled in the library at 6:30 o'clock. Following the dinner service, President Ira Richardson, the toastmaster of the occasion, in a few appropriate remarks proposed the toast "The Other Day," to which Miss Golda Atry very charmingly and wittily responded. To the toast "Today" Silas Skelton responded in the most approved after-dinner fashion. R. A. Kinnaird of the faculty spoke next in response to the toast "The Faculty." To "The Class of 1915" Orlo Quinn, the class president, spoke, sketching briefly some of the activities of the newest members of the alumni association.

George N. Gromer of Pattonsburg and Charles L. Mosely of Stanberry, members of the board of regents, also spoke briefly.

Dean George H. Colbert, whose subject was impromptu, spoke of a number of things which should be close to the heart of each alumnus.

In conclusion, President Richardson sketched briefly the field of the Normal school and of the plans for the future.

Following the banquet the regular business session of the alumni association convened and officers for the ensuing year were elected. Following is the personnel of the executive staff. County Superintendent Bert Cooper, president; Miss Ella Hazelrigg, vice president; Miss Nelle Hudson, secretary-treasurer.

HURT AS AUTO SCARES HORSE

John Sprague, Farmer, Thrown Beneath Overturned Buggy at Bovard Corner.

John Sprague, a farmer living four miles north of the Bovard corner, northwest of Maryville, was slightly injured yesterday afternoon when the horse he was driving to a buggy scared at an automobile and overturned the vehicle on him. The accident occurred near the Bovard corner, as Mr. Sprague was driving into Maryville about 2:30 o'clock.

As an automobile was being driven by Mr. Sprague, the horse gave a lurch, breaking the harness and causing it to run. The horse then overturned the buggy with the driver beneath. It ran about a quarter of a mile before being stopped. The buggy and harness were damaged and Sprague suffered several bruises and lacerations.

L. V. STIGALL TO ADDRESS CLASS

Hopkins Commencement to Be Held Friday Night—Nine Students Graduate.

Louis V. Stigall, a member of the law firm of Stigall & Otis of St. Joseph, will deliver the class address before the graduates of the Hopkins high school Friday night.

The address will be given at the Christian church, and following it the diplomas will be presented by Prof. J. L. Nerman, superintendent of the Hopkins schools.

The graduates are Miss Merle Mahan, Miss Pearl Peve, Miss Marie Miller, Miss Ruth Hoppie, Miss Ica Applegate, Hobart Collins, Andrew Morehouse, Halbert Clutter and David Robb.

Mr. Stigall is a law partner of Merle E. Otis, a former resident of Hopkins.

LINEBAUGH TRIAL TODAY

\$20,000 Damage Suit by Charles Abbott to Be Heard at Gallatin.

George Robb Ellison and W. A. Blagg and Geo. P. Wright went to Gallatin yesterday to act as counsel in the \$20,000 damage suit of Charles Abbott of Elmo against William Linebaugh, Jr., of Clearmont, to be heard in circuit court there today.

Abbott charges seduction of his daughter, 17 years old. Several witnesses from Lincoln and Atchison townships also went to Gallatin last night to testify at the trial.

Charles Childers was fined \$5 and costs of \$6.10 in police court this morning on plea for being drunk. He paid.

UTTER GOES OUT

BOARD ELECTS VICTOR MOORE AS HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL.

TO PROMOTE ATHLETICS

Action Not Disapproval of Present Head, But Desire to Encourage Sports—Pick Teachers Tonight.

Victor Moore, now of Arlington, Texas, but who taught languages and was athletic director at the State Normal School until two years ago, was elected principal of the Maryville high school at a special meeting of the school board last night. He succeeds E. R. Utter, principal this term. Moore will receive \$1,350 per year, according to the board's decision last night. Mr. Utter received \$1,200.

No member of the board had any complaint to make relative to the educational work of Principal Utter, but made the change in order to better promote athletics in the school. Mr. Utter is not trained along that line, while Moore is exceptionally capable in that way. It is believed the change will put the boy high school students in a position where athletic honors can be upheld here.

Mr. Utter has made many friends here and his work as a teacher has been highly commended.

Utter to go West.
Mr. Moore was an applicant for the position last year, but Mr. Utter was elected instead. Mr. Moore then applied again this spring for the position. Mr. Utter came here from Trenton, where he was principal of the high school there for two years.

In commenting on the matter this afternoon Mr. Utter said he would probably remain in Maryville this summer, then move with his wife to Oregon or some part of the west. He formerly lived in California. Mr. Utter had considered being a special teacher in the Summer Session of the Normal here this season, but may not accept.

Mr. Moore came to the Normal here, with his father-in-law, H. K. Taylor, Normal president about five years ago. He taught Latin and other languages, also directed athletics. When Mr. Taylor took charge of a privately conducted school at Arlington two years ago, Mr. Moore accompanied him.

Select Faculty Tonight.
Mr. Utter was not an applicant for the position this term, Dr. Jesse Miller, vice president of the board, said this morning Harvey Watson, who has been directing athletics at the high school, since the resignation of H. B. Polson, last winter, may be retained as a high school teacher and probable assistant in athletics. His health is such, however, that he may have to give up teaching temporarily. It is said.

The school board will meet again tonight to select the faculty for the grade and ward schools of the city. It is said there will be few changes in the list over the term just closing. None of the teachers have announced a resignation, except Miss Cecile Benight, of the Franklin school, who has been granted a year's leave of absence. She desires to take further work in primary training.

No other teachers were selected last night on account of the absence of two of the members later in the session.

JEWELLS CLINCH TITLE

Again Win Base Ball Championship by Beating Tarkio 9 to 1.

By winning a game with Tarkio 9 to 1 Monday at Liberty, William Jewell college clinched the Missouri intercollegiate conference base ball championship for 1915. The Jewells won the title last year, too.

The Jewells end the season by journeying to Marshall next week, when they meet Missouri Valley college in two games. Score:

Jewell 000001000—155
Tarkio 30000105—960

COLBERT TO CHICAGO

Has Accepted a Fine Position With the City News Bureau—To Graduate from University.

Hershel M. Colbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Colbert, has accepted a position with the City News bureau of Chicago and will take up his work about June 10. Mr. Colbert is a member of this year's graduating class of the state university at Columbia in the school of journalism.

Get License to Marry.
A marriage license was issued in the office of the recorder of deeds this morning to Joseph Judd, 22, and Florence Poff, 19, both of Gentry.

THREE GRADUATES IN MUSIC

Commencement Program Presented Last Night at Conservatory Recital Hall.

The twelfth annual commencement of the Maryville Conservatory of Music was held last night at the recital hall of the Conservatory. The graduates were Miss Barbara Marie Eberhart of Rosendale, Miss Ruth Reuillard and Miss Lucile Holmes, who presented a concert program before a good sized audience. In addition to the piano numbers by the graduates, Miss Jennie Garrett, head of the voice department of the Conservatory, gave two vocal numbers.

The program was splendidly presented and the piano numbers were given with a finished rendition highly creditable to the student pianists. A few weeks ago Mrs. A. E. Carter (Miss Hazel Everhart) appeared in a post-graduate recital.

With the twelfth commencement 125 students have been graduated from the Conservatory. This year the faculty of the Conservatory has been increased to seven teachers and two new rooms added to the studio quarters.

PLAN SPECIAL SALE

MERCHANTS CONSIDER "DOLLAR DAY" FEATURE IN JUNE.

PLAN ANNUAL FISH FRY

Commercial Club May Hold Second Treat Next Month—Say Roads Near Town Are Improved.

A "Dollar day" sale will be held by the merchants of Maryville some day next month, probably on a Wednesday, according to a decision made at a meeting of the Commercial club last night. A committee was authorized to take charge of the feature, to fix a date, and to work up an interest both among merchants and patrons.

The plan is used in most of the larger cities annually and has proven quite attractive to patrons. On these occasions the business establishments make it a rule to offer every article possible at \$1, so that many times goods usually priced at a higher figure are marked down to \$1 in order to go in the sale.

The merchants also aim to get in new stocks of goods for these occasions and to make the display as attractive as possible, to draw this extra trade. The committee will arrange details as soon as possible.

Plan Another Fish Fry.
J. H. Sewell and E. H. Baiman each reported at the Commercial club meeting last night relative to the improvement of the roads leading out of Maryville, for which \$1,500 was recently secured. They said the work was being favorably commented on by those using the highways, and that the movement had caused many farmers to also aid in the work.

The proposition to hold the second annual fish fry next month also was discussed and favorably received. The club event will probably be held the first part of next month. The initial one last year, held in June on the Robinson farm, near Ravenwood, on the Platte river, was attended by 150. It proved to be quite successful.

The club last night adopted an amendment to the club constitution to provide for the establishment of the new credit rating system.

HOLD PIKE FUNERAL RITES

Services at Maryville Furniture Company Rooms This Afternoon.

The funeral services for Dewey Pike, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Pike, living southeast of the city, who died early yesterday morning, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the undertaking parlors of the Maryville Furniture company.

The service was conducted by the pastor of the Mt. Airy church and the music was given by a quartet from the First Christian church choir, composed of Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Mrs. J. D. Richey, John Mutz and W. E. Goforth. The body was buried in Miriam cemetery.

CALL OFF CONCEPTION GAME

Normal Will Not Play Today on Account of Rain.

The base ball game scheduled to be played this afternoon between the Normal and the Conception college team has been postponed on account of rain. It is not definitely known when the game will be played. The Normal is scheduled to play the Tarkio college nine next Monday.

PASS PAVING BILLS

COUNCIL PROVIDES 11 1/2 MORE BLOCKS OF IMPROVEMENT.

MAY CONTRACT MAY 31

Consider Bids at Special Session Final Day of Month—All Serene Last Night.

All was peaceful and serene in the adjourned council meeting last night, and the passage of three more paving ordinances which provide for the improvement of approximately 11 1/2 blocks was accomplished without a hitch. From the time the gong sounded on the first round the milling went forward steadily, each ordinance being read three times, before final passage. The yeas were unanimous on each ordinance bill.

With the paving ordinances passed last Wednesday night, the following new pavement in Maryville this summer is virtually a certainty:

Fifth—Market to Dunn, 7 blocks.
Dunn—Fifth to Normal avenue, 1/2 block.

Mulberry—Ninth to Twelfth, 3 blocks.
Twelfth—Mulberry to Walnut, 1 block.

Thompson—Walnut to Main, 4 blocks.
Ninth—Mulberry to Wabash tracks, 3 1/2 blocks.

CITY WELL PROTECTED

All the paving ordinances provide that City Engineer F. L. Flynt shall advertise for bids on the improvements with bituminous products, to be submitted not later than 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, May 31. The city council will meet in adjourned session that night to consider the bids. If acceptable it will award the paving contracts so that work in the improvements may begin as quickly as possible.

It is believed that bids ranging between \$1.45 and \$1.50 per square yard can be secured on asphaltic paving and from \$1.30 to \$1.40 per square yard on tar paving. The contracts must be accompanied by two bonds, one a contract guaranty and the other a maintenance surety. In this way, it is argued, the city will be safeguarded both in getting the work done as specified and that the work will be kept in good condition for five years.

Meet Again Next Week.
It is estimated by Engineer Flynt that there will be 1,265 cubic yards of excavation on the Mulberry and Twelfth street paving, 2,600 lineal feet of curbing, 240 lineal feet of headers, and 3,775 square yards of paving needed.

On Thompson street about 3,940 square yards of paving, 1,300 cubic yards of excavation, 2,600 lineal feet of curbing, and 264 lineal feet of headers will be needed.

The council voted to adjourn until Wednesday night, May 26, when any business on the calendar at that time will be considered. No further paving action will probably be taken before May 31, however, unless petitions for more paving are presented.

Dennis Morrissey was refunded \$10 rent on the city bonnyard by the councilmen when they convened last night.

MISSOURI BANKERS TO MEET

State Convention Will Be Held at Kansas City, May 25 and 26.

The twenty-fifth annual convention of the Missouri Bankers' association will open at the Gayety theatre on next Tuesday and will continue through Wednesday. Some of the most prominent financiers of the country are on the program for addresses.

An elaborate entertainment has been planned for the visitors and their wives on Tuesday. The women will be taken for an automobile ride in the afternoon and entertained at Electric park at 6 o'clock for dinner. From that time on the entertainment for all the visitors will be at Electric park.

The women of the party will be given theater parties on Wednesday afternoon and evening, attending the Willis Wood in the evening. There will be an entertainment for the men at the Gayety on Wednesday evening.

SCHOOL CENSUS SHOWS INCREASE

Parnell District Has Ten More School Children This Year.

L. C. Gooden, school census enumerator of Parnell district, No. 57, has completed the year's work. The total enumeration shows ten more than last year. The total for this year is 171, while that of 1914 was 161.

NEED MANY COUNTY BRIDGES

Inspection Discloses Independence Township Conditions Are Bad—To Continue Visits.

The county court with the county highway engineer, J. E. Reece, made a tour of inspection of the bridges on the east side of the county Monday and Tuesday. They went over the bridges of Washington and Independence townships and part of the bridges in Jefferson, Jackson and Hopkins.

In Washington township the court was accompanied by the township board. They found bridge conditions there unusually bad. The Jackson township board also accompanied the court in the tour of Jackson township. Judge Bailey, in talking of the trip, said:

"The worst bridge conditions are in Independence township. That part of the county has been neglected for the last year or more, and they are greatly in need of new structures. The condition of the bridge fund of the county will not permit us to build all the bridges that are demanded, and our intention is to build those that are just actually needed."

"We will go over the townships in the other part of the county just as soon as the weather and roads are in condition."

The court was in session this afternoon to take up the petition from Monroe township of appointing Henry Miller of Skidmore as justice of the peace to succeed Mark Loucks, never qualified. Mr. Miller will probably be appointed.

FOR BETTER NORMAL INSIDE

Regents to Install Extra Lockers, Library Equipment and Improve Auditorium.

The interior of the Normal building came in for consideration towards the close of the meeting of the board of regents yesterday afternoon, with the result that considerable improvement was ordered. One improvement consists of the addition of 230 lockers for students to be placed in corridors and cloak rooms. There already are 300 lockers.

Then the library is to have new equipment, such as more tables, wall racks, book racks, extra facilities for study therein and the addition of 130 new chairs.

The auditorium will be provided with shades for the windows. Heavy curtains or tapestry for the walls to be used for acoustic purposes, also will be provided. Much complaint has always been made through the inability to hear plainly in the auditorium, so that the addition of the sounding curtains will meet with hearty approval.

R. H. Duncan has been retained as farm manager at the Normal, and other minor positions attended to before the board adjourned. The enrollment for the various quarters during the 1914-15 term has been as follows, according to President Ira Richardson. Fall, 243; winter, 270; spring, 233. During the 1913-14 term it was somewhat larger, as follows: Fall, 257; winter, 275; spring, 243.

BURGLARY IN PICKERING

Thieves Enter Hardware Store—Suspects Held at Creston Released—Robbery Unnoticed Half Day.

A safe in the hardware store of Wray Brothers of Pickering was broken into by thieves Monday night and a box of valuable notes and papers and \$2.60 in silver stolen. The loss of the goods was not discovered until about noon yesterday, when one of the members of the firm had occasion to look for the box containing the notes and found it missing. The thieves gained entrance by prying open the lock of the front door to the building. The safe had been left with only the day lock on, and was easily opened. A number of checks in the money box and a package of jewelry which was in the same till, were left.

Two strangers were seen at Pickering Monday afternoon and also early Tuesday morning, and a pair answering their description were apprehended at Creston by the authorities there yesterday afternoon, but no traces of stolen goods was found, and after investigation they were released.

No clue has been found yet to indicate who the thieves might be. As the papers are useless to anyone but the owner, they were probably discarded by the robbers, and a search all around the premises and town is being made by Mr. Wray in the hope of finding the package.

EMPLOYED IN IOWA SCHOOLS

Miss Dora Day Elected to Primary Department Work at Colfax.

Miss Dora Day, formerly of this city, who has been teaching for the past three years in the Ravenwood school, has been employed for the coming year in the schools of Colfax, Ia. The Colfax school employs twenty-one teachers. Miss Day is in the primary department.

Miss Day is now at San Francisco, Cal., visiting her brother, C. A. Day of Company K, Fort Douglas, Ariz., who is there spending a two weeks furlough. Miss Day and her mother, Mrs. Anna Day will make their home at Colfax in future.

F. C. CONRAD HOME

F. C. Conrad has returned from an extensive western trip, during which he visited the Pacific coast cities, and on the return trip spent some time on his ranch near Pine Bluff, Wyo. Mrs. Conrad, who accompanied him, returned to Maryville several weeks ago.

END SCHOOL WORK; PUPILS TO FROLIC

CLASSES MEET LAST TIME TODAY—ATHLETICS TOMORROW

GRADE STUDENTS TO COMPETE WITH RACES

Smaller Classes Have Picnic, Festival Indoors Tomorrow Afternoon—Seniors' Commencement Friday.

Class work in the public grade and ward schools of Maryville virtually ends this afternoon, and the remaining two days prior to formal closing, will be given over to the frolics and general entertainment of classes. Some of the pupils may be sorry to see the term draw to a close, but a far greater number, especially boys, have looked forward with no little eagerness to this day.

The enrollment of the high school for the term was 235, and of the grades 720, making a total enrollment of 955. The grade pupils of the Washington building will hold an indoor track meet and picnic tomorrow afternoon. The pupils of the three ward schools will hold a festival and a picnic in the basement of the Central building at the same time.

MAY HOLD INDOOR EVENTS

The high school class day exercises will come Friday afternoon and the commencement for the graduating seniors will follow that night. The grades also will have special features in school Friday to mark the closing of the 1914-15 school term.

It was originally planned to hold the grade track meet at the Normal grounds, beginning at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, but on account of the rain it probably will be held in the hallway of the Washington school building. This will, of course, necessitate the elimination of the field events, such as jumps, vaults, discus and shot put, though the entire race events will be run.

For boys weighing less than 90 pounds there will be a 50-yard, 100-yard and 220-yard dashes, while for boys weighing more than 90 pounds there will be the additional 440-yard dash. Harold Kemp is the likely winner of the majority of events, though there are several other pupils of the Washington grades expected to put up a good showing for honors. No prizes will be offered in any events.

Planned Relay for Girls.
Athletics for girls also were provided in the form of a 220-yard relay for each division. In one division will be the girl students of the three higher classes, then the next three highest and then the three lowest of the Central building. There will be four from each division take part.

The boys also were to have a 440-yard relay race conducted in the same way. If all events must be held indoors it is not certain that the relays can be run.

Following the track meet there will be a picnic in the Central building. The pupils of the three ward schools also will hold their frolic in the Central building, beginning at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. It will consist of a program of songs and recitations and games. A picnic will follow.

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THE WEATHER

Probably rain tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

TONIGHT

The Slave Girl—A strong play on the Color question. Mutual Weekly—Current Events.

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PURE MILK WILL SAVE BABIES.

M. U. Professor Says Intestinal Diseases Among Children Increase in the Summer.

Not all the deaths during the summer are due to "rocking the boat."

This is the time of year when the greatest amount of intestinal diseases, and consequent death, occur among babies and little children. Dr. M. P. Ravenel, professor of bacteriology and preventive medicine at the University of Missouri, says many of the disorders of the digestive tract, such as dysentery, diarrhea, and cholera infantum, are due to dirty and spoiled milk.

"Much of this dirt," said Doctor Ravenel, "comes from the stable and is made up in large part of intestinal discharges of the cow herself. In some cases disease germs, like tubercular bacilli, the germ of foot and mouth disease, garget, and septic sore throat, come directly from the cow into the milk."

During the summer, however, diseases of the digestive tract most prevalent in children, which cause a large death rate, are often brought about by an extensive number of ordinary germs found in the intestinal tract of cows, many of which bring about a rapid souring and decomposition of the milk with production of poisonous products.

"Udders and flanks of cows should be cleaned and moistened before milking. The milker should have clean hands and the milk can should be cleaned and sterilized where possible. "Milk which is used in manufacturing ice cream should have the same care. Ice cream made from pure ingredients is a wholesome and nutritious food for even young children, and its use should be encouraged. It is now largely used also by convalescents with the best of results."

"It should always be remembered that good work done in a dairy may be spoiled by careless handling of the milk in the home."

Return from Gallatin.

Sheriff Edwin Wallace, Fred Yeomans and E. E. Williams, summoned on a civil suit in circuit court at Gallatin this week, returned last night.

Dr. H. B. Rowlett wishes to announce he is now located in the Sisson building, over Crane's jewelry and book store. Internal medicine. Office hours, 8:30 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m. Sunday by appointment.

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STATE DENTISTS TO MEET.

Dr. Jesse Miller, Chairman of Program Committee, Arranges for Session June 10-12.

The program for the golden jubilee of the Missouri State Dental association, which will be celebrated at the association's fiftieth annual meeting at Jefferson City, June 10, 11 and 12, is being prepared by Dr. Jesse Miller. He is chairman of the program committee. Several local dentists will probably attend the state meeting.

IT RAINED 1.46 INCHES.

Temperature Ranged from 53 to 58 During the Day.

The rainfall which began yesterday afternoon and continued until about 10 o'clock this morning amounted to 1.46 inches, according to J. R. Brink. Of that amount 1.04 inches had fallen up to 7 o'clock this morning. The reading at that hour this morning showed the maximum temperature to have been 53 degrees and the minimum 38 degrees for the twenty-four hours preceding.

DR. McMILLAN IMPROVING.

Physician Will Be Brought to Maryville to Recuperate.

Dr. Paul McMillan of Chicago, who has been critically ill for several months and underwent an operation a few days ago, is slightly improving, according to word received by relatives in Maryville. As soon as he is able to travel, Dr. McMillan, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Ed McMillan, who has been in Chicago since the beginning of her son's illness, will be brought to the McMillan home in this city to remain until he is fully recuperated.

But Auto Wasn't Stolen.

When Mrs. J. H. Todd saw someone hurriedly driving off at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon with her daughter, Bessie's automobile, she immediately thought her son, Harry Todd, must have been the occupant, but wondered why he would start out in the rain. She accordingly made inquiry and found him in the office, likewise the owner, Miss Todd.

Seeing a chance for a joke on his mother, Harry feigned ignorance of the whereabouts of the car, but said he would look it up. In the meantime Mrs. Todd, fearing it had been stolen, became anxious. Later Harry told her he had found the car at the Burlington station, but with no one in it.

The truth at last came out that Harry Todd had sent his assistant, William Jones, with the car to meet some persons at the Burlington station. But the joke was on Mrs. Todd.

People Say To Us

"I cannot eat this or that food, it does not agree with me." Our advice to all of them is to take a

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet

before and after each meal. 25c a box. Great-Henry Drug Co.

Vanderloot Family Moving.

F. A. Vanderloot and family are moving this week from the E. S. Cook residence, on East Sixth street, to the James B. Robinson property on South Main street, recently vacated by N. C. Covey.

Dismissed the Appeal.

The case of Dortha Royer and Anna Kelley vs. Johnny M. Cooper and Nellie M. Cooper, appeal from the circuit court of Nodaway county, was dismissed by the supreme court recently. The case was tried in the circuit court here about three years ago and was won by the defendants.

A. Lippman Buys Property.

Adolph Lippman has purchased of G. Kuenster of Denver the building on South Main street now occupied by the Seller & Smith restaurant. The purchase price was \$6,000. Mr. Lippman expects to make some extensive improvements in the building in the near future.

Leave for Pacific Coast.

Mrs. Mary A. Phares and Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., departed this morning for an extensive western visit. Mrs. Phares will go to San Francisco, Cal., to spend several months with her son, Kyle Phares, and Mrs. Wallis will go to Portland, Ore., to visit her sister, Mrs. Walker Campbell. Both expect to visit various places in the west before returning.

HOW FRENCH PEOPLE CURE STOMACH TROUBLE

A household remedy of the French peasantry, consisting of pure vegetable oil, and said to possess wonderful merit in the treatment of stomach, liver and intestinal troubles, has been introduced in this country by George H. Mayr, who for many years has been one of the leading doctors of the city of Chicago and who himself was cured by its use. Be quick and effective in its action that a single dose is usually enough to bring pronounced relief in the most stubborn cases, and many people who have tried it declare they never heard of anything to produce such remarkable results in so short a time. It is known as Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy and can now be had at almost any drug store. It is now sold here by

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

BANK WITH U. S. BY MAIL

Postmaster Todd Receives Notice of Method of Operation of New Plan. Every person in the United States 10 years old or over may open an account in a postal savings bank after July 1st, according to an instructive leaflet on the postal savings system just issued by Postmaster General Burleson. This important extension of the service will be made possible by permitting persons living in communities so sparsely settled as not to justify the designation of their local postoffice as regular postal savings banks to open accounts by mail.

Governor Dockery, third assistant postmaster general, who has direct supervision of postal savings, was so impressed by appeals from all over the country to open postal savings accounts by mail that he took up the task some weeks ago of working out a feasible and safe method for meeting a demand well illustrated in a letter from a Saline county Missourian, who resides many miles from a postal savings bank.

"Having a few hundred dollars saved from fifty years of hard and assiduous labor and skimping on the part of my wife and myself, we concluded to deposit in the Postal Savings Bank of ———. We wrote to the postmaster at that place and received reply to the effect that none but patrons of that office could deposit in that office which is very disappointing news to us. Our little farm is not large enough to support us and land is so high that it is impossible for us to buy more with what little we have saved and we are so old that we can't labor much now and we would be so glad to lay by at least enough to put us away in decency."

Under the plan adopted by the Postmaster General for opening accounts by mail an intending depositor, residing where there is no regularly designated postal savings bank, will apply to his local postmaster who will see that necessary identification data is prepared and forwarded to a nearby post office authorized to accept deposits. The intending depositor will then be given permission to forward his first and subsequent deposits by money order or registered mail direct to the postmaster at the banking point for which receipts or certificates will be issued. He may withdraw all or any part of his postal savings by mail and on demand together with any interest that may be due him.

The new leaflet points out that any person ten years old or over may open an account in his or her own name; that an account may be opened by a married woman free from any control or interference by her husband; that post office officials are forbidden to disclose to any person, except the depositor, the amount of any deposits; that withdrawals may be made without previous notice; and that the Government guarantees to repay all deposits on demand with accrued interest.

The leaflet will soon be printed in 22 foreign languages for distribution through local post offices. The foreign born citizen has taken very kindly to postal savings, and literature in his own language will be of great assistance to him. In a recent article, Postmaster General Burleson commented on the foreign-born depositor as follows:

"Upwards of 500,000 depositors now have accounts in the Postal Savings System and they represent every nationality on the earth. They also represent almost every known occupation—professional men, theatrical people, mechanics, laborers, fishermen, pack peddlers, etc. But the majority are wage earners, and of this class the foreign-born largely predominate. A census of depositors taken by the Post Office Department shows that approximately 40 per cent (200,000) of the depositors are foreign-born citizens and they own more than 50 per cent of the deposits—splendid evidence of the confidence of our newly acquired citizens in the ability and good faith of their adopted country to fulfill its obligations."

"There is another reason which led immigrants, unfamiliar with our language and business methods, to turn to the Government to safeguard their humble savings and that reason is the disastrous experiences many of them have had by the failures of bogus 'private banks' officered by swindlers of their own tongue who have preyed mercilessly upon their loneliness and credulity."

Postal savings receipts have broken all records of the past year. During the eight months prior to April 1st there was a net gain in deposits of \$19,000,000, as against a gain of \$9,000,000 for the same months the year before. Thousands of new accounts have been opened and the millions made up largely of hidden savings have been turned back into the channels of trade just at a time when there was pressing demand for every dollar.

Mrs. J. M. Lönberger of Vinita, Okla., is visiting in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. W. W. Glass and family. She will also visit at Pickering with another sister, Mrs. J. H. Porterfield, before her return.

Remus'

Grocery List

Thursday and Friday

5 lbs Mexican Beans 25c
Largest size Fresh Pine Apple 2 for 25c
Full quart size Strawberries 15c
Solid head Cabbage, 6 lbs 25c
6 lbs Shelled Rice Pop Corn 25c
8 oz Bottle Peroxide 15c
20c Frontier Red Raspberries 15c
20c Frontier Black Raspberries 15c
Flat can Finest Acropolis Red Sockeye Salmon 15c
Tall can Frontier Red Alaska Salmon, 2 for 35c
2 pkgs. 10c size ground Spices 15c
4 cakes white castile Toilet Soap 25c
2 Tall cans Heinz Spaghetti in Tomato Sauce 25c
2 lb pkg. Acropolis Powdered Sugar 25c
25c can K. C. Baking Powder 20c
3 cans Frontier Pumpkin 25c
3 cans Frontier Lye Hominy 25c
Pound Package Corn Starch 5c
4 lb Fancy Jap Rice 25c
7 cans Pet Milk 25c
Quart can Log Cabin Syrup 30c
10c size Eagle Powdered Lye 5c
Quart can Pork and Beans 15c
4 cans Wisconsin Sugar Corn 25c
20c can Nohok Oysters 15c
8 lb Pail Lake Fish 60c
2 cans Yellow Fruit Peaches 25c
25c Sack Table or Butter Salt 15c
25c pkg. Rolled Oats 20c
6 lbs Steel Cut Oats 25c
9 Cakes Toilet Soap 23c

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For Reliable Goods

DIES AT ST. JOSEPH HOSPITAL.

Body of Jerome Lemaster Will Be Buried at Gaynor City.

The body of Jerome Lemaster, living northeast of Pickering, who died yesterday morning at a St. Joseph hospital, was taken to Pickering last night.

Mrs. Lemaster was taken to the hospital at St. Joseph about a week ago for treatment. He was 64 years old and is survived by his wife and a son and daughter. The children are residents of Oklahoma. The funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Methodist church of Gaynor City.

To Attend Funeral.

Mrs. Charles S. Jackson, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Harold Ford of Chicago, left yesterday for Albia, Ia., to attend the funeral of Mr. Jackson's brother, A. R. Jackson, who died Monday morning. Mr. Jackson went to Albia Monday noon. Mrs. Ford will go from Albia to her home in Chicago.

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Defer Green Commencement.

The commencement exercises to have been held at Quitman tonight for the formal passage of the three graduates of Green township, has been postponed until later in the week on account of the disagreeable weather. Bert Cooper, county school superintendent, is to present the diplomas and several residents here are to assist in the program.

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GERMAN SOCIALIST

PROTESTS REPRISALS

Vorwaerts Argues Against Employing Extreme Methods.

Berlin, May 19.—In an article in the Vorwaerts, headed "A Warning Word to All Whom It Concerns," Edward Bernstein, Socialist and former member of the reichstag, protests against reprisals which go beyond the conduct of warfare in the usual sense of the word.

"The sinking of the Lusitania, coming as a climax to former incidents of a similar nature, together with the badly advised comments on these incidents in German newspapers, resulted in excesses against Germans in England and the colonies, as well as in the United States," Herr Bernstein writes.

"These excesses are regrettable, because they are directed against persons not responsible for what has been done. They are also regrettable from a political viewpoint, because they form another step on the ominous path which leads to nothing else than multiplication of the already deep wounds which the war causes."

"Advocates of reprisals will find it extraordinarily difficult to point to a single case where wars between civilized peoples have been won by such methods."

PLOT TO MURDER SULTAN

Armenians Conspire to Kill Turkish Ruler as He Crosses Bridge.

Paris, May 19.—Reports from Constantinople confirm the discovery of an organized plot by Armenians and Turks opposed to the new regime to assassinate the sultan, Enver Pasha, Field Marshal von Der Goltz, and General Limen von Sanders, telegraphs the Journal's Athens correspondent. Two Armenians, the Journal says, were to have blown up the Kara-Koil bridge, connecting Stambul and Galata, on the sultan's birthday, while the ruler, accompanied by his commanders, was crossing to attend a ceremony at the mosque of St. Sophia.

The correspondent declares that 400 Armenians have been arrested and their fate is unknown, while Kurds have been given orders to burn two large villages near Van.

Yaquis Declare War Against Mexico.

San Diego, Cal., May 19.—Yaqui Indians who have been besieging white settlers in the state of Sonora, Mex., issued a proclamation, declaring the Yaqui nation at war with Mexico. They have captured the pumping station at Bajanal, where are located railroad shops valued at \$10,000,000.

Arguments in Barnes Libel Suit.

Syracuse, N. Y., May 19.—The last of the evidence in William Barnes' suit for libel against Theodore Roosevelt was presented in the supreme court here. Counsel will sum up their respective cases today.

TEUTONIC ENVOYS

DEMAND PASSPORTS

London, May 19.—A dispatch from Rome says:

"The Giornale d'Italia announces that Prince von Bülow, the German ambassador, and Baron von Macchio, the ambassador of Austria, have demanded their passports. The dispatch adds that the states of the German and Austrian confederates will leave Rome at once."

Matter of Hours.

London, May 19.—The next few days, if not hours, will, it is believed, find Italy renouncing its old allies of the triple alliance and joining the triple entente powers as a belligerent

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Visited Sick Sister.

J. W. Snook and Mrs. Frank Albright of Skidmore spent yesterday in Maryville visiting with their sister, Mrs. Martin Moody, who is ill at St. Francis hospital.

Here from Kansas City.

Cecil Sheldon, who is employed in Kansas City, arrived in Maryville yesterday to spend a few days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, of West Second street.

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SCHOOL BUILDING DEDICATED

Skidmore Lodge Participates in Drills.
F. R. Marcell Takes Motion Pictures.

The drill team of the Royal Neighbors lodge of Skidmore went to Mound City today to participate in the fraternal competitive drills which were arranged for by the Mound City Commercial club as a part of the celebration in connection with the dedication of the new \$45,000 school building which has been recently completed.

President Ira Richardson of the State Normal school, who was invited to be the principal speaker at the dedication ceremony this afternoon, was unable to keep the appointment. Lincoln Bent of this city was the architect of the school building. In addition to the new building, a "white way" lighting system and several miles of new paving are formally opened for the city at this time. F. R. Marcell has been employed to take motion pictures of the event and went to Mound City yesterday for that purpose.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

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Cattle—16,000. Market 10c lower. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.

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Sheep—4,000. Market steady.

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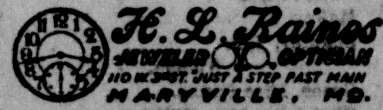
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Queries and Replies Covering Matters of Importance to the Man Who Runs a Car

Please tell me how to prevent water leaking out of the grease cups at either side of the water pump?

You are using too light a grease in these grease cups, with the result that when the motor gets warm the grease becomes very fluid and allows the water to leak. In hot weather you should use a heavy grease. Probably the hardest that you can buy will be the most satisfactory. However, as soon as cold weather sets in substitute a lighter grease.

On my car a universal joint is used between engine and transmission, this universal consisting of a cross floating in the yokes of clutch and shaft. The assembly, unless kept carefully adjusted, is noisy and does not retain oil for any length of time. Could I substitute a leather universal?

The joint between the engine and gear box is designed to take up any misalignment between the clutch and the gear shift, but it often happens that the gear box drops, throwing the shaft out of alignment to such an extent that the drive becomes noisy, and this is probably the cause of your trouble.

It is doubtful if the fitting of a leather universal would be wise, because, although it would silence the drive, it would take care of the misalignment, the noise which shows that there is a faulty alignment would be gone, and there would be no warning to enable you to know when to correct this. It occasionally happens that a sudden jolt will cause a drop in the level of the gear box due to a looseness in the bolts which hold it in position. This can be remedied by restoring the gear box to its proper alignment.

It is also very probable that the rear axle gears are badly out of adjustment and that the vibration produced as a result of this is transmitted to the joint between the engine and gear box and given off at that point. You should not only have the engine and gear set aligned, but also have the rear axle inspected and the gears readjusted, should it be necessary.

I change the oil in my crank case about every 500 or 600 miles. Would the oil I take out be all right to use in the transmission or would it wear the gears?

It is a good idea to use the oil from the crank case in the gear box. After use for considerable time in the motor the oil takes on a gummy consistency, which renders it unfit for good motor lubrication, but good for use in lubricating the gears in the gear box on account of its tendency to adhere to the gear teeth. It is better to strain it for use in the gear box.

My motor heats too much and the thermo-siphon system does not do its work properly or the heating is caused by another source. I believe my carburetor is adjusted properly, there is no slipping fan belt or loss of compression, but still the engine overheats. As the car has not been run over 3,000 miles the carbon cannot be the cause. Can you explain this?

It is most likely that your trouble is due to driving with the spark retarded too far, although it is impossible to say with certainty that this is so. Try driving your car with the spark advanced as far as possible at all times without the motor knocking.

There are many other things that might cause your motor to overheat, however—carbonized cylinders, poor water circulation, incorrect timing of motor, dragging brakes or possibly excessive friction. Just as you state, it is not likely that the trouble is caused by carbon, but in looking for the cause it is not wise to neglect this possibility, for the reason that motor troubles are often caused by the most unexpected circumstances. Note whether the water is circulating freely, and if not try to find where the trouble is, whether it is due to dirt, loose pieces of rubber obstructing the passages or what not. Remember that with a thermo-siphon system the water will not circulate at all as soon as the level drops below the discharge header in the top of the radiator. Circulation of water in the thermo-siphon system is dependent on the fact that the column of water, considered as such for simplicity, in the pipes and water jackets is lighter than the column in the radiator because it is warmer, and water expands and grows lighter as it is warmed. Therefore if the level of water drops below the outlet pipe circulation must stop. It is well to note whether you have not been running with the water below this point. Or it is possible that you have a slow leak and that in the course of an afternoon enough water leaks out to lower the level enough to stop the circulation, as described.

If there is dirt in the radiator it will not thoroughly, and if there is any growth in the water tank it will be a hot solution of sodium carbonate in water, one handful of carbonate to a gallon of water. See that the rubber hose connections are in good condition. As a last resort check up the valve timing by the marks on the flywheel, and if there are no marks you had better write to the maker for information on this point.

My car used to make about eighteen miles per gallon of gasoline. This year it is not making over eight. It misses until speed gets up to ten or twelve miles per hour. When the engine becomes heated the spark lever works very badly. What is the cause of this?

Since your car misses only at speeds below twelve miles per hour and then only when warmed up, it seems likely that the heat causes a slight leakage either by warping a valve or by expanding a valve stem. Test the compression when the motor is warm, and if any cylinder is weak see whether it is not due to lack of clearance between valves and push rods or to a warped valve. These defects would cause enough leakage to make the motor miss fire when the throttle is nearly closed, but yet not enough to make it miss at wider throttle openings.

Faulty carburetion may also be the cause of the misfiring. Reduce the richness of the mixture when running slowly and see if this makes any difference. It is possible that the reduction in charge weight caused by the heating of the air is sufficient to decrease the ratio of air to gasoline enough to prevent combustion, although when the motor is cold enough air is taken in so that the motor will run all right.

Another possibility is that there is a leak in the intake manifold due to its warping out of shape when heated. Tighten up bolts holding the manifold, and if necessary put in new gaskets. See that the brakes are not dragging and that the spark advance has not slipped so that you are running with it retarded.

Why are so many manufacturers doing away with radius rods?

The principal reason for discarding the radius rods is simplicity. It is obvious that when the drive is taken directly by the springs the manufacturer has saved on the cost of production and also reduced the number of wearing parts. Many manufacturers believe that the drive can be just as successfully transmitted through the springs as through radius rods, but as both constructions are widely used it is difficult to say which is better.

Is it easier to pump up a tire with the wheel jacked up when the weight of the car is resting on the wheel?

Theoretically it is slightly easier to pump up a tire when the weight is removed, but the difference is so small that it is doubtful whether any ordinary gauge would measure it. The extra work required represents the amount of work to lift the weight on that wheel through the distance that the inflated tire lifts the rim of the ground, this distance being approximately three inches. But this is divided up among so many pump strokes that the extra work is not felt, and it is probably just as economical of energy to do it this way as to jack the wheel up.

What are the specific advantages of six cylinder over four cylinder motors?

The advantage of greatest importance is that the six has a more even torque, or turning effort, than the four, because there are three explosions to each revolution against two per revolution in the four. The average six will throttle lower than a four of the same size.

Kindly inform me how to determine when the front wheels are out of alignment, and how can I straighten them?

The alignment of the front wheels can easily be determined by measurement. With the wheels pointing approximately straight, measure the distance between the two wheels, at the front and rear. They should be one-quarter inch nearer at the front, but not any more. The adjustment is made by shortening or lengthening the tie rod.

Please tell me how to place old shoes over new, and is it a practical thing to do?

To use the old tires do not cut the head off. You have to take the casing off the wheel and force it into the old casing and then apply both to the wheel at once. Many claim this gives a practically puncture proof tire and one that lasts longer than the single shoe. It is desirable to have good inner tubes on account of its being too much trouble in changing in case an old tube gives way. So far as heat and sand are concerned, many claim they do not seem to amount to anything, though others declare they render the idea impractical. The old casing is supposed to fit so tightly over the good one that there is no slippage, and it protects the good tire from road heat. Some drivers, however, cut slits in old casings around the whole tread from head to head. They say it makes them easier to apply as well as to fit low ventilation. These slits are cut about every four inches and about one-half inch of the material taken out. Authorities disagree on the practicality of the scheme of using old shoes in this way, but individual cases seem to have been satisfactory or the reverse according to the conditions and the intelligence used in applying the old shoes.

TELLS HOW TO FIGHT PESTS.

The College of Agriculture, Columbia, Warns Farmers of Plowing Up Wheat Too Soon.

A special warning to farmers has been issued by the department of agriculture cautioning against plowing under wheat apparently killed by the Hessian fly which, during the last fortnight, have been found in large numbers in local areas in Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri and Nebraska, and the department advises that if the crops fail to show progress for another ten days it would be time to plant corn or cow peas. It says such wheat sometimes develops into especially large heads and yields from eight to twenty bushels to the acre.

"It is the duty of the college of agriculture to warn the farmers not to be too hasty to plow up the wheat fields infested by the chinch bug and the Hessian fly," said Dean F. B. Mumford. "Some small areas are so badly affected that they should be plowed under at once. Other large areas should be let alone for a week or even ten days."

"These pests work in restricted areas. Just one field in a large area might be affected. Sometimes a small part of a field, four or five acres, should be plowed under."

The college of agriculture has just issued a bulletin composed of questions sent in by farmers from all over the state asking what to do to get rid of the chinch bug. Each question has received a separate answer. This bulletin has been adopted as a means of answering the numerous inquiries for information along this line. Now when any question comes in that can be answered by the bulletin the farmer receives one of these pamphlets.

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How to Paper a Wall.

Did you ever try to paper a wall? This is work that people seldom think of doing for themselves, no matter how they may wish to economize in household expenditures.

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In the first place, a paperer consumes considerable time in tearing off the old paper. This preparatory work you could do quite easily; yet you pay him for his time. Again, workmen in a small house cause great inconvenience and are not likely to "clean up" neatly when they leave—a point that counts for much with the careful housewife.

The appliances needed for wall papering are: Paste, a pair of shears, a board set over the backs of two chairs and two brushes—one large, soft, for putting on the paste, the other small and stiff for smoothing the paper when it is hung.

To make the paste: Sift the flour well, add one ounce of pulverized alum to each pound of flour, mix thoroughly with cold water, then pour boiling water over it quickly, stirring constantly. When the paste swells and becomes yellow, it is done; but it must not be used until cool.

Trim the paper close to the pattern on one side, and cut off several full lengths from floor to ceiling. Lay a length of paper on the long board, and spread evenly with the paste. Lift the wet strip carefully and hold it opposite its selected space on the wall. Adjust the top carefully and then smooth the strip evenly down the wall with a soft cloth.

It is safer to cut the paper a trifle longer than is needed. When the strip is fully adjusted to the wall run the edge of the shears across the paper where it meets the baseboard. Then cut evenly across the dented line and the paper will meet the baseboard exactly.

Go over the newly adjusted strip with the stiff brush, pounding it gently and coaxing out wrinkles. Save all the remnants of paper for the door and window spaces.—Kansas City Star.

A full line tennis goods at Crane's.

Trades Residence Properties.

J. D. Frank of the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods company yesterday traded his two Maryville residence properties, one at the corner of Fourth and Mulberry, and another at the corner of Buchanan and Second, for a 146-acre farm in Osage county, Kan. The trade was made through Q. A. Gilmore. Mr. Frank will continue to reside in the Fourth street residence.

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Applegates Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Applegate, living near Hopkins, gave a week end house party at which their guests were Mrs. J. J. Glenn, Miss Mary Gregory and Miss Nora Gregory of this city.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanVelson, living fourteen miles northeast of Maryville, entertained at dinner Tuesday Dr. C. F. Seafers of Port Arthur, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mrs. Fred Curfman and Mrs. E. F. Welborn.

Baraca Class Meets.

The Baraca class of the Methodist Sunday school of Ravenwood entertained the Philathea class Monday night with an informal party in the church parlors. About sixty were present. Outdoor and table games furnished amusement and a supper was enjoyed.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Gray of Parnell were the hosts of a dinner given Sunday noon at their home, at which they entertained Mrs. M. E. Roof and son, Haldane, of Blocton, La.; Marion Veal of Boone, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Roof, Miss Belle Stewart, A. J. Roof and Miss Mary Treese of Parnell.

Dinner Bridge.

Dr. and Mrs. Dillard Jefferson Thom as gave a dinner bridge Monday night at which they entertained Dr. and Mrs. Harold O. Philip, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Chandler, Mrs. J. J. Walsh of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Bellows, Miss Clara Sturm, Harvey L. Haines and Lawrence Schumacher. Dr. and Mrs. Philip arrived from Illinois last week and are house guests of the Chandlers.

Miss Ritze Entertains.

Miss Nora Ritze entertained the members of the Westminster Guild last night at the usual fortnightly gathering. The study hour was occupied with a review of the first half of "The Promised Land," by Mary Antin, given by Miss Mary Frances Ford. Miss Ritze had the aid of her mother, Mrs. J. L. Ritze and her sister, Mrs. Clara Heath in entertaining during the social and luncheon hour. Among the visiting friends present were Miss Mabel Todd and Miss Barton.

Folk Dances Please.

One of the most pleasing affairs given at the class day festival of the State Normal School Monday, was the folk dances presented by the class taught by Miss Mildred Miller. The dancing of the "May Pole Dance" and the "Colonial Polka" were especially attractive. The class is composed of the Misses Mollie Courtney, Edna Busby, Eulalia Kysar, Jennie Pugh, Ada Dinmore, Dollie Dinmore, Grace Carey, Edith Collins, Eula Snowberger, Lula Attrill, Flora Andes, Ruth Foster, Maybelle Clayton, Blanche Crawlwell, Alberta Howard, Bertha Frede and Gladys Goforth.

Tourist Department Meets.

The closing meeting of the Tourist department of the Twentieth Century club was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jim Andy Ford, on South Main street. Mrs. Arthur Brewer was the leader of the program hour and Mrs. W. H. Crawford and Mrs. John Gray readers. The general topic was "Typical of Japan," and the readings given related to food, cooking and home customs. During the business meeting to close the year's work and plan for the coming one, new officers were chosen. They were Mrs. Charles Bellows, chairman; Mrs. C. C. Hellmers vice chairman; Mrs. Rolla Alexander, secretary-treasurer. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Ford invited her guests to remain for tea. Mrs. T. L. Wadley, the retiring chairman of the department, who is ill at St. Francis hospital, was sent a gift of sweet peas by the club members.

Mrs. Robinson Gives Luncheon.

Mrs. James R. Robinson presided at an exquisitely appointed luncheon yesterday at which she entertained the members of the "Over the Tea Cups" club and a few other friends. The handsome luncheon board held a floral center piece of yellow iris and the predominating tone used throughout was of yellow. A five course menu was served. Covers were laid for Mrs. G. H. Colbert, Mrs. George Bellows, Mrs. Charles Bellows, Mrs. W. A. Rickbrode, Mrs. M. G. Tate, Mrs. O. C. Haines, Mrs. C. C. Corwin, Mrs. Chas. Bell, Mrs. James F. Colby, Mrs. E. G. Olliam, Mrs. O. L. Willey, Mrs. C. E. Jackson, who with the hostess are members of the club, and Mrs. Harold Ford, Mrs. M. J. Honnold, Mrs. Joe Jackson, Jr., Mrs. J. A. Ford, Mrs. Katherine Miller, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mrs. Fred P. Robinson, Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., Mrs. Ray Willey and Miss Clara Bellows. The luncheon had

Alderman Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Keep Dry

YOU should prepare to keep dry during these cold spring rains. Your health is at stake. Our rain coats, rain hats, rubbers and umbrellas may be the means of saving you from a severe cold. Come in out of the wet—is our invitation to you to come in and let us be of service to you.

Ladies "Water Proof" Rain Coats in Tan, Olive and Navy, assorted sizes at \$3.50 to \$12.00

Children's "Water Proof" Rain Coats in assorted colors, sizes 6 to 14 years, at \$2.50 to \$5.

Rain Hats in Navy, Tan and Olive, assorted sizes at 50c, 75c and \$1.25

Umbrellas in rain proof twill cloth, black, size 24, 26 and 28 at 75c to \$5.00

Good quality rubber foot wear for Ladies and Children at 50c, 65c and 75c.

been arranged to compliment Mrs. Harold Ford of Chicago, who is visiting in the city but she and her mother, Mrs. C. S. Jackson were called to Albia, Ia., yesterday by the death of Mr. Jackson's brother, and were not among the luncheon guests.

Announces Marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aley of 126 South Mulberry street announce the marriage of their daughter, Bessie Elva, to Mr. Victor Lee Johnson, Tuesday, May 18. The marriage took place at the home of the groom's brother, Mr. E. J. Johnson, of Norwood, Ill., and the marriage service was read by the Rev. Mr. Vance, pastor of the Presbyterian church. The newly weds left at once for Maryville, and arrived here this morning, for a visit with Mrs. Johnson's parents. The bride has been teaching for several years in the public schools of Little York, Ill., and has just completed the term this year. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will be at home after June 15, on Mr. Johnson's farm, near Eleanor, Ill.

For Mrs. Walsh.

Mrs. Fayette Bellows entertained the Tuesday afternoon auction bridge club yesterday at the usual meeting. The prize for the high score was won by Miss Clara Sturm. For the pleasure of Mrs. J. J. Walsh of St. Joseph, who was a visiting guest of the club, Mrs. Bellows entertained her afternoon guests at dinner followed by a picture show at the Empire theatre. The party included Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. G. B. Baker, Mrs. W. M. Wallis, Jr., Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Miss Clara Sturm, Miss Della Grems, Miss May Orear and Mrs. Bellows.

Buy your friendship links of H. L. Raines, jeweler, optician.

Market Live Stock.

The following Nodaway county stock men marketed live stock in St. Joseph yesterday.
Sherlock—Co., J. B. Nunnelle and M. K. Riffe, Maryville; W. H. Ramsey, Arkoe; J. Owen, Skidmore.

Final Notice

Do not dump Trash, Grass or any other kind of refuse on the pavement

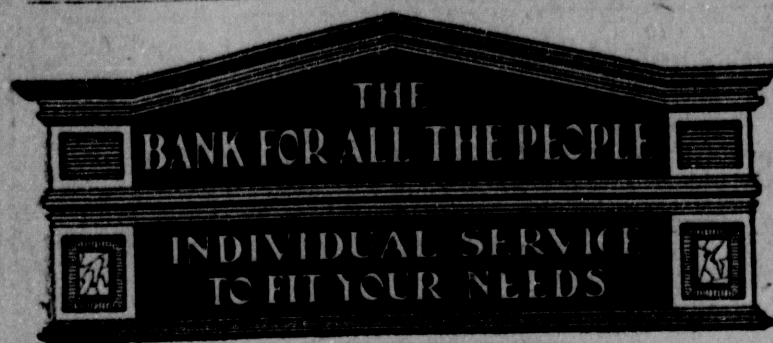
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H. L. RAINES }

DO you know that right now is one of the very best times of the season to pick out that Spring Suit. While the stocks are still complete and you have a big variety to select from you can easily find just the suit you want.

Our line of Shirts are unusually attractive. Beside the famous Manhattan line we carry a number of other nationally known makes. We'll be glad to have you look through these choice lines.

And we are ready to supply you with anything else that you may need in the Clothing and Shoe line.

M. Nusbaum



OUR YOUNG PEOPLE

THE young man and even the boy should have business dealings with a good bank so that a reputation for reliability may be established early in life.

The reliability of a person does much to gain for him recognition and success.

By using this bank as their depository the young people will be able to learn many of the best principles of business which are found in the simple rules of banking.

Farmers Trust Co.
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

Capital \$200,000.00

SAFETY · COURTESY · SERVICE

Administrator's. Public Sale of Real Estate.

In order to make a Final settlement of the Mary R. Coleman estate, I will sell at public auction Saturday, May 22, 1915, at 2 o'clock p. m., the following real estate residence lots:—Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 in Block 53, Maryville City Company's Addition to Maryville, Missouri. Auction to be held on premises.

This is the Travis Rogers half-block of ground on East First street, later owned by Mary R. Coleman and occupied by John W. Coleman and his family and is one block east of the Culverson Grocery store, facing the south with a one and one-half story residence on the east lot.

This will be sold to the highest bidder for cash as a whole half block or in single lots to suit purchaser, and I loan the purchaser one-half the purchase price back on the property for five-years with annual options if he so desires

S. H. KEMP,

Administrator D. B. N., C. T. A.

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Kitchener Would Retaliate With Poison Fumes in Warfare.

ASKS FOR MORE RECRUITS.

Wants Three Hundred Thousand Men to Form New Armies—Says News From Dardanelles Is Thoroughly Satisfactory to Allies.

WAR SUMMARY

The Austrians have crossed the river San, Vienna reports, and have shelled the west forts of Przemyśl. Rains and mists have interfered seriously with the operations in Flanders and France.

London, May 19.—Lord Kitchener stated in the house of lords that the British and French governments felt that the allied troops must be adequately protected against poisonous gases by the employment of similar methods. These would remove the enormous and unjustifiable advantages which must otherwise exist.

"The Germans," said Lord Kitchener, "have persisted in the use of these asphyxiating gases whenever the wind favored or other opportunity occurred, and his majesty's government, no less than the French government, feel that our troops must be adequately protected by the employment of similar methods so as to remove the enormous and unjustifiable disadvantage which must exist for them if we take no steps to meet on his own ground the enemy who is responsible for the introduction of this pernicious practice."

Kitchener said he wanted 300,000 more recruits to form new armies. He expressed his confidence that in the very near future the country would be in a satisfactory position with regard to the supply of ammunition.

The news from the Gallipoli peninsula, in other words the Dardanelles, was thoroughly satisfactory, Earl Kitchener declared.

TEUTONS CROSS RIVER SAN

Western Forts of Przemyśl Heavily Bombed.

London, May 19.—A fierce battle is going on in Galicia, the fortress of Przemyśl being the objective of great German and Austrian armies. The western forts of Przemyśl have been heavily bombed, and between the Russians, and the Dnieper river, the Austro-German armies, attacking with the utmost determination, captured several Russian trenches, although "at the cost of enormous sacrifices," according to the Russian statement.

The Teutonic allies, Vienna reports, have forced a passage of the San river at several points and secured a foothold on the eastern bank. The Russian prisoners taken during the first half of May, the Austrian war office says, numbered 174,000.

Coalition to Rule England.

London, May 19.—Persistent rumors were in circulation in the lobby of the house of commons that a coalition government was about to be formed. Unionist leaders held a conference with Premier Asquith and it is stated that the question of a coalition was settled. It is rumored that A. J. Balfour, former premier, will succeed Winston Spencer Churchill as first lord of the admiralty, the latter taking some other.

South America Press Backs U. S.

Rio Janeiro, May 19.—Commenting on the American note to Germany, the local papers in editorial articles express the view that this communication makes it incumbent on Germany either to make itself hated in North America or cease its "piratical and infamous acts." In defending its interests the papers say the United States is defending the interests of all America.

Missionaries in Turkey Need Food.

Boston, May 19.—The American board of commissioners for foreign missions received the following cablegram from the American ambassador at Constantinople, Henry Morgenthau: "All stations begging relief funds. Some state starvation threatened. Please help quickly." The stations mentioned are the seventeen posts of the board in Turkey.

War With Italy Inevitable.

Amsterdam, May 19.—A dispatch from Berlin says the impression received by a majority of the persons who heard the speech of Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German chancellor, at the opening of the reichstag was that war with Italy was inevitable.

Chagas Recovering From Wounds.

Lisbon, May 19.—Joao Chagas is recovering from the bullet wounds in the head. It is said that the bullets did not penetrate the bone. He still hopes to assume the premiership, in which for the time being he has been replaced by Jose Castro.

Brother of Villa Dies From Wounds.

El Paso, Tex., May 19.—Antonio Villa, a brother of General Francisco Villa, died from wounds received in a brawl at Chihuahua City, according to advices received at Juarez. Several others were killed and wounded.

HOT STOVE CAUSES \$25 FIRE.

Home of A. M. Campbell, East First, Damaged When Wall Is Fired.

The kitchen at the home of A. M. Campbell, 621 East First street, was damaged to the extent of about \$25 at 8:30 o'clock this morning, when an overheated cook stove fired one of the walls near the stove. The fire department was called, but the flames were virtually under control before assistance came.

ELECT THREE ELMO TEACHERS.

Miss Martha Denny Will Instruct the Intermediate Grades—Cameron Principal.

Miss Martha Denny, daughter of Mrs. Martha Denny, who graduated yesterday from the Normal school, has been elected to teach the intermediate grades of the Elmo schools during the 1915-16 term. Miss Kate House of Grant City, also a student of the Normal, but who taught two years in Worth county, has been elected primary teacher at Elmo.

Miss I. X. Rutledge of Cameron, who has been English teacher in the Cameron high school, will succeed W. A. Wright as principal of the Elmo schools. One high school teacher and the teacher of the grammar grades are yet to be elected.

QUITMAN NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson and Arthur Prewitt spent Sunday visiting at the home of A. Johnson.

W. D. McDonald spent Sunday as the guest of Jerry Terpley at Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. James Young were the hosts of a dinner given Sunday, at which they entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Misses Maggie and Kate Berry and William Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yates and daughters, Edith and Evelyn, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nicholas and children and Mrs. Roy Yates spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hill, near Maryville.

Clarence Hammond is ill with the mumps.

Elmer Daise and Frances Walton spent Sunday with relatives at Skidmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Cross and Mrs. A. Walton of Skidmore spent Saturday visiting in Maryville.

The children of the Centenary Sunday school are preparing for their Children's day program, which is to be given Sunday, May 20.

A full line tennis goods at Crane's.

MILL CREEK NOTES.

Mrs. Emily Nell of Clearmont and Mrs. Eliza Heiney of Logansport, Ind., are guests at the Vail home.

Mrs. Orlo Watson of Elmo is staying with her sister, Mrs. Leslie Williamson, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Williamson and family and Mrs. Orlo Watson and family were the Sunday dinner guests at the home of Harry Vail.

Miss Bessie Vail returned home Saturday after a two weeks stay with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Swaney.

Mrs. Harry Vail spent a short while Monday at the home of her brother, Elmer Swaney.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following warranty deeds were filed in the office of recorder of deeds for the week ending May 15.

B. G. Franklin to John M. Busby, May 18, 1915, part W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE 15-64-35, \$1,000.

Jesse E. Grimit et al to John M. Busby, Feb. 24, 1915, part W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE 15-64-35, \$400.

Samuel Corrough to F. C. Ware April 2, 1915, Lots 7 to 18 inclusive, Block 1, Corroughs 2nd addition to Arkoe, \$300.

Nick Sturm et al to Frank H. Roney, April 3, 1915, 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ NE 7-63-35, \$15,000.

George B. Baker to William A. Morehouse, May 4, 1915, Lots 5, 6, 7, and 8, Block 13, Charles 1st addition to Maryville, \$1,600.

Andrew J. Roof et al to Frank E. & Camilla White, May 12, 1915, Lots 1 and 2, Block 8, Parnell, \$800.

Halbert R. Catterson to Omer Catterson, March 1, 1915, Lot 2, NW and part Lot 1 NE 5-64-35, \$10,000.

Notice.

I have purchased the interest of Nick Wagner in the blacksmith shop on Market street and solicit your patronage. Pay all accounts to C. C. BAKER.

Roy Yeaman, Harry Epperson, Harry Wells, George Keegin and Mel Atherton left Tuesday for Gallatin, where they are witnesses in the Abbott-Linebaugh case being tried there today.

Our Advice Is:

When you feel out of sorts from constipation, let us say that if

Rexall Orderlies

do not relieve you, see a physician, because no other home remedy will. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

Greer-Henry Drug Co.

Mrs. Morris Returns.

Mrs. John Murrin has returned from Des Moines, Ia., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. G. R. Cornelius, for the past few weeks.

SUBSEA ACTIVITY DISCONTINUED

Kaiser Orders Submarines Be Idle During Parleys.

BERLIN REPLY IS POSTPONED.

Italian War Cloud and Possibility of United States Sending Allies Notes of Protest With Respect to Violations of International Law Factors.

New York, May 19.—Orders suspending submarine operations against merchant vessels have been issued by the German government pending the outcome of negotiations regarding the representations made by this government in President Wilson's note, according to a Washington dispatch to the Times.

The Times says the information was obtained in "a well informed quarter" after cable press dispatches had said a German submarine fired a torpedo at the liner Transylvania on its trip from New York to Glasgow, which ended Monday.

It was stated at this source of information that the report about the Transylvania could not be correct, "for the reason that submarine activity had been discontinued by the German government."

Reply Delayed.

Washington, May 19.—Two important factors are working to delay for another week Germany's reply to the American note of May 13, sent as a consequence of the Lusitania disaster. First, the next few days are expected to decide whether Germany will be confronted with a new military situation by the entrance of Italy into the war.

Second, interested diplomats here believe the interim of delay will reveal whether the United States, of its own initiative, will send a general protest to the allies with respect to the alleged violations of the international law by interfering with commerce between American ports and neutral countries of Europe.

PUSH CASH REGISTER CASE

Department of Justice Files Petition For Writ.

Washington, May 19.—The department of justice filed in the supreme court a petition for a writ of certiorari to bring the criminal anti-trust case against the officers of the National Cash Register company of Dayton, O., before that tribunal.

John H. Patterson and other officers of the company were convicted of conspiracy to violate the anti-trust law in the United States district court for the Southern district of Ohio, but the convictions were reversed by the federal circuit court of appeals.

"This," says a brief filed with the petition, "is one of the most criminal cases ever brought under the anti-trust law. The indictment charged that by the use of practically all known means of unfair competition the defendants have ruined and forced out of business a great number of competing cash register companies and acquired 95 per cent of the cash register trade of the United States."

Ordered to Suspend Dividends.

San Francisco, May 19.—The United Railways, operating most of the street railway lines in San Francisco, was ordered by the railroad commission of California to pay no more dividends "in the absence of any plan for restitution" of \$1,696,900 withdrawn from the company's treasury on a note by Patrick Calhoun, former president of the company.

Boy Hit in Head by Pitched Ball Dead.

Chicago, May 19.—Walter Jannusch, eighteen years old, died of concussion of the brain, caused by a pitched ball, which struck the youth in the head during an amateur game at Des Plaines. A coroner's jury exonerated the pitcher.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, May 19.—Closing prices: Wheat—May, \$1.53 $\frac{1}{2}$; July, \$1.26 $\frac{1}{2}$. Corn—May, 75 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; July, 75 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢. Oats—May, 51 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; July, 60 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢. Pork—July, \$17.95; Sept., \$18.25. Lard—July, \$9.60; Sept., \$9.82 $\frac{1}{2}$. Ribs—July, \$10.50; Sept., \$10.75.

Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.54 $\frac{1}{2}$ @1.55 $\frac{1}{2}$; No. 2 yellow corn, 75 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@76 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; No. 3 white oats, 52 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@53 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; standard, 53 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@54 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

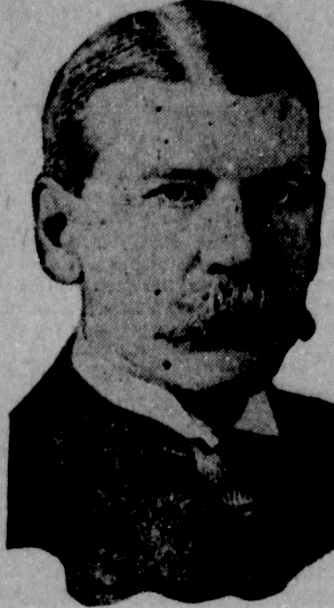
Chicago, May 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000; steady; native beef steers, \$6.90@7.25; westerns, \$6@7.90; cows and heifers, \$5.25@6.50. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; slow, 56@10¢ lower; bulk of sales, \$7.60@7.70; light, \$7.45@7.75; heavy, \$7.20@7.70; rough, \$7.20@7.35; pigs, \$5.75@7.30. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; weak; sheep, \$7.80@8.55; lambs, \$7.75@10.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, May 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,500; stronger; beef steers, \$7.50@9; cows and heifers, \$3.75@7.55; stockers and feeders, \$6@7.80; bulls, \$5.50@7.25; calves, \$5@10.75. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; 10@15¢ lower; bulk of sales, \$7.35@7.50; top, \$7.40. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; 5@15¢ lower; lambs, \$8.50@11.10; wethers, \$9@9; ewes, \$7.60@8.60.

GEN. HORACE PORTER.

Heads the Navy League of United States and Asks \$500,000,000 For Fleet.



SAYS BOSTON WOMEN MAKE BEST SLUGGERS

Superior to Those of New York, Asserts Dopey Benny.

New York, May 19.—Operations of the gangsters employed by officials of labor unions to intimidate the employers in clothing trades strikes extend from New York to other large cities, according to evidence, the substance of which was disclosed by District Attorney Perkins. Much of this evidence was given in the confession of "Dopey Benny" Fein.

The district attorney, it was stated, has tracked one group of gunmen from the headquarters of a union here to those of a union in Cleveland, where there was a strike in the clothing trade in 1913.

The district attorney has learned that women as well as men were sent to Philadelphia to attack women strikebreakers and that after the end of the strike the unions complained that the women were not as efficient as the men. The women were then taught by Fein how to use umbrellas weighted with lead slugs, and hatspin upon victims. Boston women hired for intimidation purposes were considered superior to those from New York, according to Fein.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League, American League.	
W. L. P.	W. L. P.
Phila. 17 9 654	New York 16 8 667
Chicago 16 11 593	Detroit 18 11 621
Boston 14 11 560	Chicago 18 12 600
Brooklyn 13 14 481	Washington 12 14 462
Pittsburgh 13 15 464	Boston 13 9 409
St. Louis 13 17 423	Cleveland 11 16 407
Cincinnati 11 15 423	Phila. 9 18 333
New York 10 15 400	St. Louis 10 19 345
Federal League, American Ass'n.	
Pittsburgh 19 11 633	Indianapolis 19 11 633
Chicago 17 13 567	Louisville 16 14 523
Newark 17 12 586	Milwaukee 16 13 552
Brooklyn 16 13 552	St. Paul 14 14 500
Kan. City 15 13 536	Columbus 10 20 332
St. Louis 12 14 462	Cleveland 11 16 407
Baltimore 12 18 401	Kan. City 14 11 440
Buffalo 8 21 276	Minneapolis 10 13 435
Western League.	
W. L. P.	W. L. P.
Topeka 15 7 682	St. Joe 11 10 524
Denver 10 8 559	Lincoln 9 10 474
Omaha 12 10 545	Soo City 10 16 385
D. Moines 12 10 565	Wichita 6 14 200

BASEBALL RESULTS

National League.	
At Philadelphia:	R.H.E.
St. Louis.....	3 0 0 2 0 0 0—5 8 0
Philadelphia.....	3 0 0 0 0 0 2—2 4 3
Doak, Snyder; Demaree-Burns.	
At Boston:	R.H.E.
Pittsburgh.....	0 0 1 0 0 0 1—2 4 3
Boston.....	1 2 0 0 0 0 0—3 7 3
Harmon-Schang; James-Gowdy.	
At Brooklyn:	R.H.E.
Cincinnati.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 8 2
Brooklyn.....	0 2 0 0 0 2 0—4 5 1
Brown-Doolin; Pfeffer-McCarty.	
At New York:	R.H.E.
Chicago.....	1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 3 0
New York.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 0
Humphries-Archer; Tesreau-Meyers.	
American League.	
At Chicago:	R.H.E.
Philadelphia.....	3 2 0 0 0 1 0—6 10 3
Chicago.....	3 2 0 0 1 3 1—11 12 4
Bush-McAvoy; Faber-Schalk.	
Federal League.	
At Pittsburgh:	R.H.E.
Newark.....	3 2 0 0 0 1 2—3 7 1
Pittsburgh.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 6 4
Kathlering-Rariden; Allen-Berry.	
Western League.	
At Sioux City:	R.H.E.
Sioux City.....	3 0 0 2 0 0 0—5 11 5
Topeka.....	0 0 0 1 1 0 0—10 14 0
Hallman-Crisp; Grover-Tonneman.	
At Des Moines:	R.H.E.
Denver.....	0 0 0 0 1 0 1—2 3 8
Des Moines.....	4 0 0 1 2 1 2—10 10 0
Arellanes-Spahr; Thomas-Breen.	
American Association.	
At St. Paul:	R.H.E.
Columbus.....	0 0 1 0 0 0 0—5 11 5
St. Paul.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 3 1
Davis-Coleman; Steele-Johnson.	
At Milwaukee:	R.H.E.
Louisville.....	2 3 3
Milwaukee.....	5 7 3

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WANT ADS

For Results. For Results.

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate \$5 for three days. Interruptions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—To small family, 5-room apartment with bath, sleeping porch, laundry attachment, strictly modern, both well and city water, \$16 per month. Charles Hyslop. 14-17

FOR RENT—8-room modern residence at 222 East Sixth. Possession June 1. See Real Estate bank or address E. S. Cook, Jefferson, Gravois and Sidney Sts., St. Louis, Mo. 15-17

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—100 automobiles and buggies to paint. Barmann Auto Co. 6-6

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened and repaired at Armstrong's foundry. 21-17

WANTED—Work through summer, farm work preferred. Farmers phone 218. 17-19

WANTED—Lady to do sewing at 222 W. Fourth street. Phone 3351. 18-19

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, a limited number of sows, bred to suit purchaser. A. B. Dowden, Farmers phone 1-12. 10-17

FOR SALE—Four bulls. Shorthorn and Bates Strain. M. A. Nicholas, Farmers phone 2812. 13-19

VICTROLAS TO TRADE—We will trade new victrolas and records for used piano. Phone or write and we will call on you. Landon Music Co. 14-20

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good 12-inch soft seat, all leather saddle, and coaster brake bicycle. 269 W. Secor. Phone 369. 18-20

Lost.

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY DAILY PAPER IN ANY MISSOURI TOWN OF 5,000 POPULATION.

VOLUME 5.

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1915.

NO. 300.

WABASH TO FILL IN BIG TREESTLE

CONTRACT FOR 180-FOOT AQUEDUCT ALREADY MADE.

IMPROVEMENT WILL COST ABOUT \$17,000

Many Men Will Be Employed in Change—Start Work on Cement Culvert This Week.

The big trestle on the Wabash line on East Seventh street, in the northeast part of the city, is to be supplanted this summer by a dirt and concrete fill to cost between \$16,000 and \$18,000. Arrangements are already virtually completed and material with which to construct the aqueduct beneath the fill is being unloaded this week.

The improvement will require the employment of a large force of men this spring and summer and the conveyance of about 50,000 cubic yards of earth from some point along the line near here. Some of it will probably come from the hill immediately north of the Normal.

The Carmichael-Cryder Construction company of St. Louis, which will build the reinforced concrete aqueduct beneath the fill, are now unloading mixing machines, lumber and forms, preparatory to starting actual work on the culvert within a few days.

Means Work for Many Men.
A force of about twenty men will be employed on the culvert, while many more will work on the dirt fill. The aqueduct is to be 180 feet long and 8 by 10 feet in dimensions to permit the passage of overflow water from the ditch there.

The contract for making the fill proper will probably be awarded within the next two weeks, so that the fill can be completed as quickly as possible. It is expected to be entirely finished within four months after work is begun. The fill will be about 536 feet long, or the same length as the trestle now is. The present trestle piling is about fifteen years old, though repairs are continually being made. The piling will remain, the dirt filling being merely piled over them.

The filling will be about fifty feet wide at the bottom and eighteen feet wide at the top, for the roadbed. The depth will range from a few feet at each end to about fifty feet at the center.

Is a Dangerous Place.
W. W. Greenland of Moberly, assistant engineer of the Wabash, who has been here the last two days directing the survey of the place and arranging for the preliminary work, returned this morning to Moberly. D. B. Gill of Moberly, and an assistant engineer, who has been here the last few days, will remain to direct and supervise the improvement.

The improvement has been under consideration by the Wabash officials about ten years, but no action was ever taken until the present time. The trestle, though always in fair condition, has been a dangerous place both for train traffic and for the numerous pedestrians—usually youths—who attempt to cross on the trestle, regardless of danger from trains or from falling.

While there has never been an accident recorded there, it was the scene of a hanging once. It was in the fall of 1899 that the Rev. E. A. Hathaway, Episcopalian minister here, firing of life, placed a rope about one of the ties and jumped off into oblivion and death.

HER MIND IS UNSOUND

County Court Sends Mabel Smith, 26, to State Hospital—Is Epileptic.

Miss Mabel Smith, the 26-year-old daughter of Mr. C. C. Smith, of this city, was declared of unsound mind and ordered sent to State Hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph by the county court this morning. She is an epileptic. She has been afflicted about fifteen years, it is said. Mr. Smith is a janitor at the Normal.

TONIGHT

The Slave Girl—A strong play on the Color question. **Mutual Weekly**—Current Events.

THE EMPIRE THEATRE

WHERE COMFORT IS COUPLED WITH PLEASURE
Your Choice is Mine
a Nickel or a Dime
Lower Floor 10c
Balcony 5c

NORMAL ALUMNI FEAST, TALK

Annual Banquet to 50 Has Been Ends With Election of Officers—Bert Cooper, President.

The alumni banquet, marking the formal closing of the commencement exercises of the Normal school, was held in the Normal library last night. About fifty attended.

The banqueters assembled in the library at 6:30 o'clock. Following the dinner service, President Ira Richardson, the toastmaster of the occasion, in a few appropriate remarks proposed the toast "The Other Day," to which Miss Golda Airy very charmingly and wittily responded. To the toast "Today" Silas Skelton responded in the most approved after-dinner fashion. R. A. Kinnaird of the faculty spoke next in response to the toast "The Faculty." To "The Class of 1915" Orlo Quinn, the class president, spoke, sketching briefly some of the activities of the newest members of the alumni association.

George N. Gromer of Pattonsburg and Charles L. Mosely of Stanberry, members of the board of regents, also spoke briefly.

Dean George H. Colbert, whose subject was impromptu, spoke of a number of things which should be close to the heart of each alumnus.

In conclusion, President Richardson sketched briefly the field of the Normal school and of the plans for the future.

Following the banquet the regular business session of the alumni association convened and officers for the ensuing year were elected. Following is the personnel of the executive staff. County Superintendent Bert Cooper, president; Miss Ella Hazelrigg, vice president; Miss Nelle Hudson, secretary-treasurer.

HURT AS AUTO SCARES HORSE.

John Sprague, Farmer, Thrown Beneath Overturned Buggy at Bovard Corner.

John Sprague, a farmer living four miles north of the Bovard corner, northwest of Maryville, was slightly injured yesterday afternoon when the horse he was driving to a buggy scared at an automobile and overturned the vehicle on him. The accident occurred near the Bovard corner, as Mr. Sprague was driving into Maryville about 2:30 o'clock.

As an automobile was being driven by Mr. Sprague, the horse gave a lurch, breaking the harness and causing it to run. The horse then overturned the buggy with the driver beneath. It ran about a quarter of a mile before being stopped. The buggy and harness were damaged and Sprague suffered several bruises and lacerations.

L. V. STIGALL TO ADDRESS CLASS.

Hopkins Commencement to Be Held Friday Night—Nine Students Graduate.

Louis V. Stigall, a member of the law firm of Stigall & Otis of St. Joseph, will deliver the class address before the graduates of the Hopkins high school Friday night.

The address will be given at the Christian church, and following it the diplomas will be presented by Prof. J. L. Nerman, superintendent of the Hopkins schools.

The graduates are Miss Merle Mahan, Miss Pearl Peve, Miss Marie Miller, Miss Ruth Hopple, Miss Ica Applegate, Hobart Collins, Andrew Morehouse, Halbert Clutter and David Robb.

Mr. Stigall is a law partner of Merle E. Otis, a former resident of Hopkins.

LINEBAUGH TRIAL TODAY.

\$20,000 Damage Suit by Charles Abbott to Be Heard at Gallatin.

George Robb Ellison and W. A. Blagg and Geo. P. Wright went to Gallatin yesterday to act as counsel in the \$20,000 damage suit of Charles Abbott of Elmo against William Linebaugh, Jr., of Clearmont, to be heard in circuit court there today.

Abbott charges seduction of his daughter, 17 years old. Several witnesses from Lincoln and Atchison townships also went to Gallatin last night to testify at the trial.

Charles Childers was fined \$5 and costs of \$6.10 in police court this morning on plea of being drunk. He paid.

UTTER GOES OUT

BOARD ELECTS VICTOR MOORE AS HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL.

TO PROMOTE ATHLETICS

Action Not Disapproval of Present Head, But Desire to Encourage Sports—Pick Teachers Tonight.

Victor Moore, now of Arlington, Texas, but who taught languages and was athletic director at the State Normal School until two years ago, was elected principal of the Maryville high school at a special meeting of the school board last night. He succeeds E. R. Utter, principal this term. Moore will receive \$1,350 per year, according to the board's decision last night. Mr. Utter received \$1,200.

No member of the board had any complaint to make relative to the educational work of Principal Utter, but made the change in order to better promote athletics in the school. Mr. Utter is not trained along that line, while Moore is exceptionally capable in that way. It is believed the change will put the boy high school students in a position where athletic honors can be upheld here.

Mr. Utter has made many friends here and his work as a teacher has been highly commended.

Utter to go West.

Mr. Moore was an applicant for the position last year, but Mr. Utter was elected instead. Mr. Moore then accepted again this spring for the position. Mr. Utter came here from Trenton, where he was principal of the high school there for two years.

In commenting on the matter this afternoon Mr. Utter said he would probably remain in Maryville this summer, then move with his wife to Oregon or some part of the west. He formerly lived in California. Mr. Utter had considered being a special teacher in the Summer Session of the Normal here this season, but may not accept.

Mr. Moore came to the Normal here, with his father-in-law, H. K. Taylor, Normal president about five years ago. He taught Latin and other languages, also directed athletics. When Mr. Taylor took charge of a private conducted school at Arlington two years ago, Mr. Moore accompanied him.

Select Faculty Tonight.

Mr. Utter was not an applicant for the position this next term, Dr. Jesse Miller, vice president of the board, said this morning Harvey Watson, who has been directing athletics at the high school, since the resignation of H. B. Polson, last winter, may be retained as a high school teacher and probable assistant in athletics. His health is such, however, that he may have to give up teaching temporarily it is said.

The school board will meet again tonight to select the faculty for the grade and ward schools of the city. It is said there will be few changes in the list over the term just closing. None of the teachers have announced a resignation, except Miss Cecile Benight, of the Franklin school, who has been granted a year's leave of absence. She desires to take further work in primary training.

No other teachers were selected last night on account of the absence of two of the members later in the session.

JEWELLS CLINCH TITLE.

Again Win Base Ball Championship by Beating Tarkio 9 to 1.

By winning a game with Tarkio 9 to 1 Monday at Liberty, William Jewell college clinched the Missouri intercollegiate conference base ball championship for 1915. The Jewells won the title last year, too.

The Jewells end the season by journeying to Marshall next week, when they meet Missouri Valley college in two games. Score:

R.H.E.
Tarkio 000001000—1 5 5
Jewell 30000105*—9 6 0

COLBERT TO CHICAGO.

Has Accepted a Fine Position With the City News Bureau—To Graduate from University.

Herschel M. Colbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Colbert, has accepted a position with the City News Bureau of Chicago and will take up his work about June 10. Mr. Colbert is a member of this year's graduating class of the state university at Columbia in the school of journalism.

Get License to Marry.

A marriage license was issued in the office of the recorder of deeds this morning to Joseph Judd, 22, and Florence Poff, 19, both of Centry.

THREE GRADUATE IN MUSIC

Commencement Program Presented Last Night at Conservatory Recital Hall.

The twelfth annual commencement of the Maryville Conservatory of Music was held last night at the recital hall of the Conservatory. The graduates were Miss Barbara Marie Eberhart of Rosendale, Miss Ruth Reuillard and Miss Lucille Holmes, who presented a concert program before a good sized audience. In addition to the piano numbers by the graduates, Miss Jennie Garrett, head of the voice department of the Conservatory, gave two vocal numbers.

The program was splendidly presented and the piano numbers were given with a finished rendition highly creditable to the student pianists. A few weeks ago Mrs. A. E. Carter (Miss Hazel Eberhart) appeared in a post-graduate recital.

With the twelfth commencement 125 students have been graduated from the Conservatory. This year the faculty of the Conservatory has been increased to seven teachers and two new rooms added to the studio quarters.

PLAN SPECIAL SALE

MERCHANTS CONSIDER "DOLLAR DAY" FEATURE IN JUNE.

PLAN ANNUAL FISH FRY

Commercial Club May Hold Second Treat Next Month—Say Roads Near Town Are Improved.

A "Dollar day" sale will be held by the merchants of Maryville some day next month, probably on a Wednesday, according to a decision made at a meeting of the Commercial club last night. A committee was authorized to take charge of the feature, to fix a date, and to work up an interest both among merchants and patrons.

The plan is used in most of the larger cities annually and has proven quite attractive to patrons. On these occasions the business establishments make it a rule to offer every article possible at \$1, so that many times goods usually priced at a higher figure are marked down to \$1 in order to go in the sale.

The merchants also aim to get in new stocks of goods for these occasions and to make the display as attractive as possible, to draw this extra trade. The committee will arrange details as soon as possible.

Plan Another Fish Fry.

J. H. Sewell and E. H. Bainum each reported at the Commercial club meeting last night relative to the improvement of the roads leading out of Maryville, for which \$1,500 was recently secured. They said the work was being favorably commented on by those using the highways, and that the movement had caused many farmers to also aid in the work.

The proposition to hold the second annual fish fry next month also was discussed and favorably received. The club event will probably be held the first part of next month. The initial one last year, held in June on the Robinson farm, near Ravenwood, on the Platte river, was attended by 150. It proved to be quite successful.

The club last night adopted an amendment to the club constitution to provide for the establishment of the new credit rating system.

HOLD PIKE FUNERAL RITES.

Services at Maryville Furniture Company Rooms This Afternoon.

The funeral services for Dewey Pike, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Pike, living southeast of the city, who died early yesterday morning, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the undertaking parlors of the Maryville Furniture company.

The service was conducted by the pastor of the Mt. Airy church and the music was given by a quartet from the First Christian church choir, composed of Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Mrs. J. D. Richey, John Mutz and W. E. Goforth. The body was buried in Miriam cemetery.

CALL OFF CONCEPTION GAME.

Normal Will Not Play Today on Account of Rain.

The base ball game scheduled to be played this afternoon between the Normal and the Conception college team has been postponed on account of rain. It is not definitely known when the game will be played. The Normal is scheduled to play the Tarkio college nine next Monday.

PASS PAVING BILLS

COUNCIL PROVIDES 1 1/2 MORE BLOCKS OF IMPROVEMENT.

MAY CONTRACT MAY 31

Consider Bids at Special Session Final Day of Month—All Serene Last Night.

All was peaceful and serene in the adjourned council meeting last night, and the passage of three more paving ordinances which provide for the improvement of approximately 1 1/2 blocks was accomplished without a hitch. From the time the gong sounded on the first round the milling went forward steadily, each ordinance being read three times, before final passage. The yeas were unanimous on each ordinance bill.

With the paving ordinances passed last Wednesday night, the following new pavement in Maryville this summer is virtually a certainty:

Fifth—Market to Dunn, 7 blocks.
Dunn—Fifth to Normal avenue, 1/2 block.
Mulberry—Ninth to Twelfth, 3 blocks.
Twelfth—Mulberry to Walnut, 1 block.
Thompson—Walnut to Main, 4 blocks.
Ninth—Mulberry to Wabash tracks, 3 1/2 blocks.

City Well Protected.

All the paving ordinances provide that City Engineer F. L. Flynt shall advertise for bids on the improvements with bituminous products, to be submitted not later than 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, May 31. The city council will meet in adjourned session that night to consider the bids. If acceptable it will award the paving contracts so that work in the improvements may begin as quickly as possible.

It is believed that bids ranging between \$1.45 and \$1.50 per square yard can be secured on asphaltic paving and from \$1.30 to \$1.40 per square yard on tar paving. The contracts must be accompanied by two bonds, one a contract guaranty and the other a maintenance surety. In this way, it is argued, the city will be safeguarded both in getting the work done as specified and that the work will be kept in good condition for five years.

Meet Again Next Week.

It is estimated by Engineer Flynt that there will be 1,265 cubic yards of excavation on the Mulberry and Twelfth street paving, 2,600 lineal feet of curbing, 240 lineal feet of headers, and 3,775 square yards of paving needed.

On Thompson street about 3,940 square yards of paving, 1,300 cubic yards of excavation, 2,600 lineal feet of curbing, and 264 lineal feet of headers will be needed.

The council voted to adjourn until Wednesday night, May 26, when any business on the calendar at that time will be considered. No further paving action will probably be taken before May 31, however, unless petitions for more paving are presented.

Dennis Morrissey was refunded \$10 rent on the city money yard by the councilmen when they convened last night.

MISSOURI BANKERS TO MEET.

State Convention Will Be Held at Kansas City, May 25 and 26.

The twenty-fifth annual convention of the Missouri Bankers' association will open at the Gayety theatre on next Tuesday and will continue through Wednesday. Some of the most prominent financiers of the country are on the program for addresses.

An elaborate entertainment has been planned for the visitors and their wives on Tuesday. The women will be taken for an automobile ride in the afternoon and entertained at Electric park at 6 o'clock for dinner. From that time on the entertainment for all the visitors will be at Electric park.

The women of the party will be given theater parties on Wednesday afternoon and evening, attending the Willis Wood in the evening. There will be an entertainment for the men at the Gayety on Wednesday evening.

SCHOOL CENSUS SHOWS INCREASE

Parnell District Has Ten More School Children This Year.

L. C. Gooden, school census enumerator of Parnell district, No. 57, has completed the year's work. The total enumeration shows ten more than last year. The total for this year is 171, while that of 1914 was 161.

NEED MANY COUNTY BRIDGES

Inspection Discloses Independence Township Conditions Are Bad—To Continue Visits.

The county court with the county highway engineer, J. E. Reece, made a tour of inspection of the bridges on the east side of the county Monday and Tuesday. They went over the bridges of Washington and Independence townships and part of the bridges in Jefferson, Jackson and Hopkins.

In Washington township the court was accompanied by the township board. They found bridge conditions there unusually bad. The Jackson township board also accompanied the court in the tour of Jackson township. Judge Bailey, in talking of the trip, said:

"The worst bridge conditions are in Independence township. That part of the county has been neglected for the last year or more, and they are greatly in need of new structures. The condition of the bridge fund of the county will not permit us to build all the bridges that are demanded, and our intention is to build those that are just actually needed.

"We will go over the townships in the other part of the county just as soon as the weather and roads are in condition."

The court was in session this afternoon to take up the petition from Monroe township of appointing Henry Miller of Skidmore as justice of the peace to succeed Mark Loucks, never qualified. Mr. Miller will probably be appointed.

FOR BETTER NORMAL INSIDE

Regents to Install Extra Lockers, Library Equipment and Improve Auditorium.

The interior of the Normal building came in for consideration towards the close of the meeting of the board of regents yesterday afternoon, with the result that considerable improvement was ordered. One improvement consists of the addition of 230 lockers for students to be placed in corridors and cloak rooms. There already are 300 lockers.

Then the library is to have new equipment, such as more tables, wall racks, book racks, extra facilities for study therein and the addition of 130 new chairs.

The auditorium will be provided with shades for the windows. Heavy curtains or tapestry for the walls to be used for acoustic purposes, also will be provided. Much complaint has always been made through the inability to hear plainly in the auditorium, so that the addition of the sounding curtains will meet with hearty approval.

R. H. Duncan has been retained as farm manager at the Normal, and other minor positions attended to before the board adjourned. The enrollment for the various quarters during the 1914-15 term has been as follows, according to President Ira Richardson: Fall, 243; winter, 270; spring, 233. During the 1913-14 term it was somewhat larger, as follows: Fall, 257; winter, 275; spring, 243.

BURGLARY IN PICKERING

Thieves Enter Hardware Store—Suspects Held at Creston Released—Robbery Unnoticed Half Day.

A safe in the hardware store of Wray Brothers of Pickering was broken into by thieves Monday night and a box of valuable notes and papers and \$250 in silver stolen. The loss of the goods was not discovered until about noon yesterday, when one of the members of the firm had occasion to look for the box containing the notes and found it missing.

The thieves gained entrance by prying open the lock of the front door to the building. The safe had been left with only the day lock on, and was easily opened. A number of checks in the money box and a package of jewelry which was in the same till, were left.

Two strangers were seen at Pickering Monday afternoon and also early Tuesday morning, and a pair answering their description were apprehended at Creston by the authorities there yesterday afternoon, but no trace of stolen goods was found, and after investigation they were released.

No clue has been found yet to indicate who the thieves might be. As the papers are useless to anyone but the owner, they were probably discarded by the robbers, and a search all around the premises and town is being made by Mr. Wray in the hope of finding the package.

Prof. H. B. Schuler of the Normal faculty goes to Cameron today to assist in the May festival to be held there today and tomorrow by students of the Missouri Wesleyan college. He will sing "Faust" tonight and "Messiah" in tomorrow's program.

ENDSCHOOL WORK; PUPILS TO FROLIC

CLASSES MEET LAST TIME TODAY—ATHLETICS TOMORROW

GRADE STUDENTS TO COMPETE WITH RACES

Smaller Classes Have Picnic, Festival Indoors Tomorrow Afternoon—Seniors' Commencement Friday.

Class work in the public grade and ward schools of Maryville virtually ends this afternoon, and the remaining two days prior to formal closing, will be given over to the frolics and general entertainment of classes. Some of the pupils may be sorry to see the term draw to a close, but a far greater number, especially boys, have looked forward with no little eagerness to this day.

The enrollment of the high school for the term was 235, and of the grades 720, making a total enrollment of 955.

The grade pupils of the Washington building will hold an indoor track meet and picnic tomorrow afternoon. The pupils of the three ward schools will hold a festival and a picnic in the basement of the Central building at the same time.

May Hold Indoor Events.

The high school class day exercises will come Friday afternoon and the commencement for the graduating seniors will follow that night. The grades also will have special features in school Friday to mark the closing of the 1914-15 school term.

It was originally planned to hold the grade track meet at the Normal grounds, beginning at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, but on account of the rain it probably will be held in the hallway of the Washington school building. This will, of course, necessitate the elimination of the field events, such as jumps, vaults, discus and shot put, though the entire race events will be run.

For boys weighing less than 90 pounds there will be a 50-yard, 100-yard and 220-yard dashes, while for boys weighing more than 90 pounds there will be the additional 440-yard dash. Harold Kemp is the likely winner of the majority of events, though there are several other pupils of the Washington grades expected to put up a good showing for honors. No prizes will be offered in any events.

Planned Relay for Girls.

Athletics for girls also were provided in the form of a 220-yard relay for each division. In one division will be the girl students of the three higher classes, then the next three highest and then the three lowest of the Central building. There will be four from each division take part.

The boys also were to have a 440-yard relay race conducted in the same way. If all events must be held indoors it is not certain that the relays can be run.

Following the track meet there will be a picnic in the Central building. The pupils of the three ward schools also will hold their frolic in the Central building, beginning at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. It will consist of a program of songs and recitations and games. A picnic will follow.

EMPLOYED IN IOWA SCHOOLS.

Miss Dora Day Elected to Primary Department Work at Colfax.

Miss Dora Day, formerly of this city, who has been teaching for the past three years in the Ravenwood school, has been employed for the coming year in the schools of Colfax, Ia. The Colfax school employs twenty-one teachers. Miss Day is in the primary department.

Miss Day is now at San Francisco, Cal., visiting her brother, C. A. Day of Company K, Fort Douglas, Ariz., who is there spending a two weeks furlough. Miss Day and her mother, Mrs. Anna Day will make their home at Colfax in future.

F. C. Conrad Home.

F. C. Conrad has returned from an extensive western trip, during which he visited the Pacific coast cities, and on the return trip spent some time on his ranch near Pine Bluff, Wyo. Mrs. Conrad, who accompanied him, returned to Maryville several weeks ago.

THE WEATHER

Probably rain tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

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PURE MILK WILL SAVE BABIES.

M. C. Professor Says Intestinal Diseases Among Children Increase in the Summer.

Not all the deaths during the summer are due to "rocking the boat." This is the time of year when the greatest amount of intestinal diseases, and consequent death, occur among babies and little children. Dr. M. P. Ravenel, professor of bacteriology and preventive medicine at the University of Missouri, says many of the disorders of the digestive tract, such as dysentery, diarrhea, and cholera infantum, are due to dirty and spoiled milk.

"Much of this dirt," said Doctor Ravenel, "comes from the stable and is made up in large part of intestinal discharges of the cow herself. In some cases disease germs, like tubercular bacillus, the germ of foot and mouth disease, garget, and septic sore throat, come directly from the cow into the milk."

During the summer, however, diseases of the digestive tract most prevalent in children, which cause a large death rate, are often brought about by an extensive number of ordinary germs found in the intestinal tract of cows, many of which bring about a rapid souring and decomposition of the milk with production of poisonous products.

"Udders and flanks of cows should be cleaned and moistened before milking. The milker should have clean hands and the milk can should be cleaned and sterilized where possible. "Milk which is used in manufacturing ice cream should have the same care. Ice cream made from pure ingredients is a wholesome and nutritious food for even young children, and its use should be encouraged. It is now largely used also by convalescents with the best of results."

"It should always be remembered that good work done in a dairy may be spoiled by careless handling of the milk in the home."

Return from Gallatin.
Sheriff Edwin Wallace, Fred Yeomans and E. E. Williams, summoned on a civil suit in circuit court at Gallatin this week, returned last night.

Dr. H. S. Rowlett wishes to announce he is now located in the Sisson building, over Crane's jewelry and book store. Internal medicine. Office hours, 8:30 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m., Sunday by appointment.

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STATE DENTISTS TO MEET.

Dr. Jesse Miller, Chairman of Program Committee, Arranges for Session June 10-12.

The program for the golden jubilee of the Missouri State Dental association, which will be celebrated at the association's fiftieth annual meeting at Jefferson City, June 10, 11 and 12, is being prepared by Dr. Jesse Miller. He is chairman of the program committee. Several local dentists will probably attend the state meeting.

IT RAINED 1.46 INCHES.

Temperature Ranged from 53 to 38 During the Day.

The rainfall which began yesterday afternoon and continued until about 10 o'clock this morning amounted to 1.46 inches, according to J. R. Brink. Of that amount 1.04 inches had fallen up to 7 o'clock this morning. The reading at that hour this morning showed the maximum temperature to have been 53 degrees and the minimum 38 degrees for the twenty-four hours preceding.

DR. McMILLAN IMPROVING.

Physician Will Be Brought to Maryville to Recuperate.

Dr. Paul McMillan of Chicago, who has been critically ill for several months and underwent an operation a few days ago, is slightly improving, according to word received by relatives in Maryville. As soon as he is able to travel, Dr. McMillan, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Ed McMillan, who has been in Chicago since the beginning of her son's illness, will be brought to the McMillan home in this city to remain until he is fully recuperated.

But Auto Wasn't Stolen.

When Mrs. J. H. Todd saw someone hurriedly driving off at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon with her daughter, Bessie's automobile, she immediately thought her son, Harry Todd, must have been the occupant, but wondered why he would start out in the rain. She accordingly made inquiry and found him in the office, likewise the owner, Miss Todd.

Seeing a chance for a joke on his mother, Harry feigned ignorance of the whereabouts of the car, but said he would look it up. In the meantime Mrs. Todd, fearing it had been stolen, became anxious. Later Harry told her he had found the car at the Burlington station, but with no one in it.

The truth at last came out that Harry Todd had sent his assistant, William Jones, with the car to meet some persons at the Burlington station. But the joke was on Mrs. Todd.

People Say To Us

"I cannot eat this or that food, it does not agree with me." Our advice to all of them is to take a

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet
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Vandersloot Family Moving.

F. A. Vandersloot and family are moving this week from the E. S. Cook residence, on East Sixth street, to the James B. Robinson property on South Main street, recently vacated by N. C. Covey.

Dismissed the Appeal.

The case of Bertha Royer and Anna Kelley vs. Johnny M. Cooper and Nellie M. Cooper, appeal from the circuit court of Nodaway county, was dismissed by the supreme court recently. The case was tried in the circuit court here about three years ago and was won by the defendants.

A. Lippman Buys Property.

Adolph Lippman has purchased of G. Kuenster of Denver the building on South Main street now occupied by the Seller & Smith restaurant. The purchase price was \$6,000. Mr. Lippman expects to make some extensive improvements in the building in the near future.

Leave for Pacific Coast.

Mrs. Mary A. Phares and Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., departed this morning for an extensive western visit. Mrs. Phares will go to San Francisco, Cal., to spend several months with her son, Kyle Phares, and Mrs. Wallis will go to Portland, Ore., to visit her sister, Mrs. Walker Campbell. Both expect to visit various places in the west before returning.

HOW FRENCH PEOPLE
CURE STOMACH TROUBLE

A household remedy of the French peasantry, consisting of pure vegetable oil, and said to possess wonderful merit in the treatment of stomach, liver and intestinal troubles, has been introduced in this country by George H. Mayr, who for twenty years has been one of the leading down town druggists of Chicago and who himself was cured by its use. So quick and effective is its action that a single dose is usually enough to bring pronounced relief in the most stubborn cases, and many people who have tried it declare they never heard of anything to produce such remarkable results in so short a time. It is known as Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy and can now be had at almost any drug store. It is now sold here by

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

BANK WITH U. S. BY MAIL

Postmaster Todd Receives Notice of Method of Operation of New Plan.

Every person in the United States 10 years old or over may open an account in a postal savings bank after July 1st, according to an instructive leaflet on the postal savings system just issued by Postmaster General Burleson. This important extension of the service will be made possible by permitting persons living in communities so sparsely settled as not to justify the designation of their local postoffice as regular postal savings banks to open accounts by mail.

Governor Dockery, third assistant postmaster general, who has direct supervision of postal savings, was so impressed by appeals from all over the country to open postal savings accounts by mail that he took up the task some weeks ago of working out a feasible and safe method for meeting a demand well illustrated in a letter from a Saline county Missourian, who resides many miles from a postal savings bank.

"Having a few hundred dollars saved from fifty years of hard and assiduous labor and skimping on the part of my wife and myself, we concluded to deposit in the Postal Savings Bank of _____ We wrote to the postmaster at that place and received reply to the effect that none but patrons of that office could deposit in that office which is very disappointing news to us. Our little farm is not large enough to support us and land is so high that it is impossible for us to buy more with what little we have saved and we are so old that we can't labor much now and we would be so glad to lay by at least enough to put us away in decency."

Under the plan adopted by the Postmaster General for opening accounts by mail an intending depositor, residing where there is no regularly designated postal savings bank, will apply to his local postmaster who will see that necessary identification data is prepared and forwarded to a nearby post office authorized to accept deposits. The intending depositor will then be given permission to forward his first and subsequent deposits by money order or registered mail direct to the postmaster at the banking point for which receipts or certificates will be issued. He may withdraw all or any part of his postal savings by mail and on demand together with any interest that may be due him.

The new leaflet points out that any person ten years old or over may open an account in his or her own name; that an account may be opened by a married woman free from any control or interference by her husband; that post office officials are forbidden to disclose to any person, except the depositor, the amount of any deposits; that withdrawals may be made without previous notice; and that the Government guarantees to repay all deposits on demand with accrued interest.

The leaflet will soon be printed in 22 foreign languages for distribution through local post offices. The foreign born citizen has taken very kindly to postal savings, and literature in his own language will be of great assistance to him. In a recent article, Postmaster General Burleson commented on the foreign-born depositor as follows:

"Upwards of 500,000 depositors now have accounts in the Postal Savings System and they represent every nationality on the earth. They also represent almost every known occupation—professional men, theatrical people, mechanics, laborers, fishermen, pack peddlers, etc. But the majority are wage earners, and of this class the foreign-born largely predominate. A census of depositors taken by the Post Office Department shows that approximately 40 per cent (200,000) of the depositors are foreign-born citizens and they own more than 50 per cent of the deposits—splendid evidence of the confidence of our newly acquired citizens in the ability and good faith of their adopted country to fulfill its obligations."

There is another reason which led immigrants, unfamiliar with our language and business methods, to turn to the Government to safeguard their humble savings and that reason is the disastrous experiences many of them have had by the failures of bogus "private banks" officered by swindlers of their own tongue who have preyed mercilessly upon their loneliness and credulity."

Postal savings receipts have broken all records of the past year. During the eight months prior to April 1st there was a net gain in deposits of \$19,000,000, as against a gain of \$8,000,000 for the same months the year before. Thousands of new accounts have been opened and the millions made up largely of hidden savings have been turned back into the channels of trade just at a time when there was pressing demand for every dollar.

Mrs. J. M. Lionberger of Vinita, Okla., is visiting in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. W. W. Glass and family. She will also visit at Pickering with another sister, Mrs. J. H. Porterfield, before her return.

Remus' Grocery List

Thursday and Friday

- 5 lbs Mexican Beans 25c
- Largest size Fresh Pine Apple 2 for 25c
- Full quart size Strawberries 15c
- Solid head Cabbage, 6 lbs 25c
- 6lbs Shelled Rice Pop Corn 25c
- 8 oz Bottle Peroxide 15c
- 20c Frontier Red Raspberries 15c
- 20c Frontier Black Raspberries 15c
- Flat can Finest Acropolis Red Sockeye Salmon 15c
- Tall can Frontier Red Alaska Salmon, 2 for 35c
- 2 pkgs. 10c size ground Spices 15c
- 4 cakes white castile Toilet Soap 25c
- 2 Tall cans Heinz Spaghetti in Tomato Sauce 25c
- 2 lb pkg. Acropolis Powdered Sugar 25c
- 25c can K. C. Baking Powder 20c
- 3 cans Frontier Pumpkin 25c
- 3 cans Frontier Lye Hominy 25c
- Pound Package Corn Starch 5c
- 4 lb Fancy Jap Rice 25c
- 7 cans Pet Milk 25c
- Quart can Log Cabin Syrup 30c
- 10c size Eagle Powdered Lye 5c
- Quart can Pork and Beans 1c
- 4 cans Wisconsin Sugar Corn 25c
- 25c can Nobob Oysters 15c
- 8lb Pail Lake Fish 60c
- 2 cans Yellow Free Peaches 25c
- 25c Sack Table or Butter Salt 19c
- 25c pkg. Rolled Oats 20c
- 6 lbs Steel Cut Oats 25c
- 9 Cakes Toilet Soap 23c

Remus' For Reliable Goods

DIES AT ST. JOSEPH HOSPITAL.

Body of Jerome Lemaster Will Be Buried at Gaynor City.

The body of Jerome Lemaster, living northeast of Pickering, who died yesterday morning at a St. Joseph hospital, was taken to Pickering last night.

Mrs. Lemaster was taken to the hospital at St. Joseph about a week ago for treatment. He was 64 years old and is survived by his wife and a son and daughter. The children are residents of Oklahoma. The funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Methodist church of Gaynor City.

To Attend Funeral.

Mrs. Charles S. Jackson, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Harold Ford of Chicago, left yesterday for Albia, Ia., to attend the funeral of Mr. Jackson's brother, A. R. Jackson, who died Monday morning. Mr. Jackson went to Albia Monday noon. Mrs. Ford will go from Albia to her home in Chicago.

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Defer Green Commencement.

The commencement exercises to have been held at Quitman tonight for the formal passage of the three graduates of Green township, has been postponed until later in the week on account of the disagreeable weather. Bert Cooper, county school superintendent, is to present the diplomas and several residents here are to assist in the program.

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GERMAN SOCIALIST
PROTESTS REPRISALS
Vorwaertz Argues Against Em-
ploying Extreme Methods.

Berlin, May 19.—In an article in the Vorwaertz, headed "A Warning Word to All Whom It Concerns," Eduard Bernstein, Socialist and former member of the reichstag, protests against reprisals which go beyond the conduct of warfare in the usual sense of the word.

"The sinking of the Lusitania, coming as a climax to former incidents of a similar nature, together with the badly advised comments on these incidents in German newspapers, resented in excesses against Germans in England and the colonies, as well as in the United States," Herr Bernstein writes.

"These excesses are regrettable, because they are directed against persons not responsible for what has been done. They are also regrettable from a political viewpoint, because they form another step on the ominous path which leads to nothing else than multiplication of the already deep wounds which the war causes."

"Advocates of reprisals will find it extraordinarily difficult to point to a single case where wars between civilized peoples have been won by such methods."

PLOT TO MURDER SULTAN

Armenians Conspire to Kill Turkish Ruler as He Crossed Bridge.

Paris, May 19.—Reports from Constantinople confirm the discovery of an organized plot by Armenians and Turks opposed to the new regime to assassinate the sultan, Enver Pasha. Field Marshal von Der Goltz, and General Limen von Sanders, telegraphed the Journal's Athens correspondent.

Two Armenians, the Journal says, were to have blown up the Kara-Koul bridge, connecting Stamboul and Galata, on the sultan's birthday, while the ruler, accompanied by his commanders, was crossing to attend a ceremony at the mosque of St. Sophia.

The correspondent declares that 400 Armenians have been arrested and their fate is unknown, while Kurds have been given orders to burn two large villages near Van.

Yaquis Declare War Against Mexico.

San Diego, Cal., May 19.—Yaqui Indians who have been besieging white settlers in the state of Sonora, Mex., issued a proclamation, declaring the Yaqui nation at war with Mexico. They have captured the pumping station at Baganatel, where are located railroad skids valued at \$10,000,000.

Arguments In Barnes Libel Suit.

Syracuse, N. Y., May 19.—The last of the evidence in William Barnes' suit for libel against Theodore Roosevelt was presented in the supreme court here. Counsel will sum up their respective cases today.

TEUTONIC ENVOYS
DEMAND PASSPORTS

London, May 19.—A dispatch from Rome says:

"The Giornale D'Italia announces that Prince von Buelow, the German ambassador, and Baron von Macchio the ambassador of Austria, have demanded their passports. The newspaper adds that the staffs of the German and Austrian consulates will leave Rome at once."

Matter of Hours.

London, May 19.—The next few days, if not hours, will, it is believed, find Italy renouncing its old allies of the triple alliance and joining the triple entente powers as a belligerent

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Visited Sick Sister.

J. W. Smock and Mrs. Frank Albright of Skidmore spent yesterday in Maryville visiting with their sister, Mrs. Martin Moody, who is ill at St. Francis hospital.

Here from Kansas City.

Cecil Sheldon, who is employed in Kansas City, arrived in Maryville yesterday to spend a few days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, of West Second street.

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SCHOOL BUILDING DEDICATED

Skidmore Lodge Participates in Drills.
F. R. Marcell Takes Motion Pictures.

The drill team of the Royal Neighbors lodge of Skidmore went to Mound City today to participate in the fraternal competitive drills which were arranged for by the Mound City Commercial club as a part of the celebration in connection with the dedication of the new \$45,000 school building which has been recently completed.

President Ira Richardson of the State Normal school, who was invited to be the principal speaker at the dedication ceremony this afternoon, was unable to keep the appointment. Lincoln Bent of this city was the architect of the school building. In addition to the new building, a "white way" lighting system and several miles of new paving are formally opened for the city at this time. F. R. Marcell has been employed to take motion pictures of the event and went to Mound City yesterday for that purpose.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

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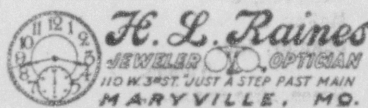
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Please tell me how to prevent water leaking out of the grease cups at either side of the water pump?

You are using too light a grease in these grease cups, with the result that when the motor gets warm the grease becomes very fluid and allows the water to leak. In hot weather you should use a heavy grease. Probably the hardest that you can buy will be the most satisfactory. However, as soon as cold weather sets in substitute a lighter grease.

On my car a universal joint is used between engine and transmission, this universal consisting of a cross floating in the yokes of clutch and shaft. The assembly, unless kept carefully adjusted, is noisy and does not retain oil for any length of time. Could I substitute a leather universal?

The joint between the engine and gear box is designed to take up any misalignment between the clutch and the gear shift, but it often happens that the gear box drops, throwing the shaft out of alignment to such an extent that the drive becomes noisy, and this is probably the cause of your trouble.

It is doubtful if the fitting of a leather universal would be wise, because, although it would silence the drive, it would take care of the misalignment, the noise which shows that there is a faulty alignment would be gone, and there would be no warning to enable you to know when to correct this. It occasionally happens that a sudden jolt will cause a drop in the level of the gear box due to a looseness in the bolts which hold it in position. This can be remedied by restoring the gear box to its proper alignment.

It is also very probable that the rear axle gears are badly out of adjustment and that the vibration produced as a result of this is transmitted to the joint between the engine and gear box and given off at that point. You should not only have the engine and gear set aligned, but also have the rear axle inspected and the gears readjusted, should it be necessary.

I change the oil in my crank case about every 500 or 600 miles. Would the oil I take out be all right to use in the transmission or would it wear the gears?

It is a good idea to use the oil from the crank case in the gear box. After use for considerable time in the motor the oil takes on a gummy consistency, which renders it unfit for good motor lubrication, but good for use in lubricating the gears in the gear box on account of its tendency to adhere to the gear teeth. It is better to strain it for use in the gear box.

My motor heats too much and the thermo-siphon system does not do its work properly or the heating is caused by another source. I believe my carburetor is adjusted properly, there is no slipping fan belt or loss of compression, but still the engine overheats. As the car has not been run over 3,000 miles the carbon cannot be the cause. Can you explain this?

It is most likely that your trouble is due to driving with the spark retarded too far, although it is impossible to say with certainty that this is so. Try driving your car with the spark advanced as far as possible at all times without the motor knocking.

There are many other things that might cause your motor to overheat, however—carbonized cylinders, poor water circulation, incorrect timing of motor, dragging brakes or possibly excessive friction. Just as you state, it is not likely that the trouble is caused by carbon, but in looking for the cause it is not wise to neglect this possibility, for the reason that motor troubles are often caused by the most unexpected circumstances. Note whether the water is circulating freely, and if not try to find where the trouble is, whether it is due to dirt, loose pieces of rubber obstructing the passages or what not. Remember that with a thermo-siphon system the water will not circulate at all as soon as the level drops below the discharge header in the top of the radiator. Circulation of water in the thermo-siphon system is dependent on the fact that the column of water, considered as such for simplicity, in the pipes and water jackets is lighter than the column in the radiator because it is warmer, and water expands and grows lighter as it is warmed. Therefore if the level of water drops below the outlet pipe circulation must stop. It is well to note whether you have not been running with the water below this point. Or it is possible that you have a slow leak and that in the course of an afternoon enough water leaks out to lower the level enough to stop the circulation, as described.

If there is dirt in the radiator flush it out thoroughly, and if there is any grease in the water wash it with a hot solution of sodium carbonate in water, one handful of carbonate to a pail of water. See that the rubber hose connections are in good condition. As a last resort check up the valve timing by the marks on the flywheel, and if there are no marks you had better write to the maker for information on this point.

My car used to make about eighteen miles per gallon of gasoline. This year it is not making over eight. It misses until speed gets up to ten or twelve miles per hour. When the engine becomes heated the spark lever works very badly. What is the cause of this?

Since your car misses only at speeds below twelve miles per hour and then only when warmed up, it seems likely that the heat causes a slight leakage either by warping a valve or by expanding a valve stem. Test the compression when the motor is warm, and if any cylinder is weak see whether it is not due to lack of clearance between valves and push rods or to a warped valve. These defects would cause enough leakage to make the motor miss fire when the throttle is nearly closed, but yet not enough to make it miss at wider throttle openings.

Faulty carburetion may also be the cause of the misfiring. Reduce the richness of the mixture when running slowly and see if this makes any difference. It is possible that the reduction in charge weight caused by the heating of the air is sufficient to decrease the ratio of air to gasoline enough to prevent combustion, although when the motor is cold enough air is taken in so that the motor will run all right.

Another possibility is that there is a leak in the intake manifold due to its warping out of shape when heated. Tighten up bolts holding the manifold, and if necessary put in new gaskets. See that the brakes are not dragging and that the spark advance has not slipped so that you are running with it retarded.

Why are so many manufacturers doing away with radius rods?

The principal reason for discarding the radius rods is simplicity. It is obvious that when the drive is taken directly by the springs the manufacturer has saved on the cost of production and also reduced the number of wearing parts. Many manufacturers believe that the drive can be just as successfully transmitted through the springs as through radius rods, but as both constructions are widely used it is difficult to say which is better.

Is it easier to pump up a tire with the wheel jacked up when the weight of the car is resting on the wheels?

Theoretically it is slightly easier to pump up a tire when the weight is removed, but the difference is so small that it is doubtful whether any ordinary gauge would measure it. The extra work required represents the amount of work to lift the weight on that wheel through the distance that the inflated tire lifts the rim off the ground, this distance being approximately three inches. But this is divided up among so many pump strokes that the extra work is not felt, and it is probably just as economical of energy to do it this way as to jack the wheel up.

What are the specific advantages of six cylinder over four cylinder motors?

The advantage of greatest importance is that the six has a more even torque, or turning effort, than the four, because there are three explosions to each revolution against two per revolution in the four. The average six will throttle lower than a four of the same size.

Kindly inform me how to determine when the front wheels are out of alignment, and how can I straighten them?

The alignment of the front wheels can easily be determined by measurement. With the wheels pointing approximately straight, measure the distance between the two wheels, at the front and rear. They should be one-quarter inch nearer at the front, but not any more. The adjustment is made by shortening or lengthening the tie rod.

Please tell me how to place old shoes over new, and is it a practical thing to do?

To use the old tires do not cut the bead off. You have to take the casing off the wheel and force it into the old casing and then apply both to the wheel at once. Many claim this gives a practically puncture proof tire and one that lasts longer than the single shoe. It is desirable to have good inner tubes on account of its being too much trouble in changing in case an old tube gives way. So far as heat and sand are concerned, many claim they do not seem to amount to anything, though others declare they render the idea impractical. The old casing is supposed to fit so tightly over the good one that there is no slippage, and it protects the good tire from road heat. Some drivers, however, cut slits in old casings around the whole tread from bead to bead. They say it makes them easier to apply as well as to allow ventilation. These slits are cut about every four inches and about one-half inch of the material taken out. Authorities disagree on the practicability of the scheme of using old shoes in this way, but individual cases seem to have been satisfactory or the reverse according to the conditions and the intelligence used in applying the old shoes.

TELLS HOW TO FIGHT PESTS.

The College of Agriculture, Columbia, Warns Farmers of Plowing Up Wheat Too Soon.

A special warning to farmers has been issued by the department of agriculture cautioning against plowing under wheat apparently killed by the Hessian fly which, during the last fortnight, have been found in large numbers in local areas in Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri and Nebraska, and the department advises that if the crops fail to show progress for another ten days it would be time to plant corn or cow peas. It says such wheat sometimes develops into especially large heads and yields from eight to twenty bushels to the acre.

"It is the duty of the college of agriculture to warn the farmers not to be too hasty to plow up the wheat fields infested by the chinch bug and the Hessian fly," said Dean F. B. Mumford. "Some small areas are so badly affected that they should be plowed under at once. Other large areas should be left alone for a week or even ten days."

"These pests work in restricted areas. Just one field in a large area might be affected. Sometimes a small part of a field, four or five acres, should be plowed under."

The college of agriculture has just issued a bulletin composed of questions sent in by farmers from all over the state asking what to do to get rid of the chinch bug. Each question has received a separate answer. This bulletin has been adopted as a means of answering the numerous inquiries for information along this line. Now when any question comes in that can be answered by the bulletin the farmer receives one of these pamphlets.

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How to Paper a Wall.

Did you ever try to paper a wall? This is work that people seldom think of doing for themselves, no matter how they may wish to economize in household expenditures.

Yet it is very simple work if one has time and patience, and the saving in money is well worth consideration.

In the first place, a paperer consumes considerable time in tearing off the old paper. This preparatory work you could do quite easily; yet you pay him for his time. Again, workmen in a small house cause great inconvenience and are not likely to "clean up" neatly when they leave—a point that counts for much with the careful housewife.

The appliances needful for wall papering are: Paste, a pair of shears, a board set over the backs of two chairs and two brushes—one large, soft, for putting on the paste, the other small and stiff for smoothing the paper when it is hung.

To make the paste: Sift the flour well, add one ounce of pulverized alum to each pound of flour, mix thoroughly with cold water, then pour boiling water over it quickly, stirring constantly. When the paste swells and becomes yellow, it is done; but it must not be used until cool.

Trim the paper close to the pattern on one side, and cut off several full lengths from floor to ceiling. Lay a length of paper on the long board, and spread evenly with the paste. Lift the wet strip carefully and hold it opposite its selected space on the wall. Adjust the top carefully and then smooth the strip evenly down the wall with a soft cloth.

It is safer to cut the paper a trifle longer than is needed. When the strip is fully adjusted to the wall run the edge of the shears across the paper where it meets the baseboard. Then cut evenly across the dented line and the paper will meet the baseboard exactly.

Go over the newly adjusted strip with the stiff brush, pounding it gently and coaxing out wrinkles. Save all the remnants of paper for the door and window spaces.—Kansas City Star.

A full line tennis goods at Crane's.

Trades Residence Properties.

J. D. Frank of the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods company yesterday traded his two Maryville residence properties, one at the corner of Fourth and Mulberry, and another at the corner of Buchanan and Second, for a 146-acre farm in Osage county, Kan. The trade was made through Q. A. Gilmore. Mr. Frank will continue to reside in the Fourth street residence.

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Applegates Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Applegate, living near Hopkins, gave a week end house party at which their guests were Mrs. J. J. Glenn, Miss Mary Gregory and Miss Nora Gregory of this city.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanVelsom, living fourteen miles northeast of Maryville, entertained at dinner Tuesday Dr. C. F. Seafers of Port Arthur, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mrs. Fred Curfman and Mrs. E. F. Welborn.

Baraca Class Hosts.

The Baraca class of the Methodist Sunday school of Ravenwood entertained the Philathea class Monday night with an informal party in the church parlors. About sixty were present. Outdoor and table games furnished amusement and a supper was enjoyed.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Gray of Parnell were the hosts of a dinner given Sunday noon at their home, at which they entertained Mrs. M. E. Roof and son, Haldane, of Blockton, Ia.; Marion Veal of Boone, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Roof, Miss Belle Stewart, A. J. Roof and Miss Mary Treese of Parnell.

Dinner Bridge.

Dr. and Mrs. Dillard Jefferson Thom as gave a dinner bridge Monday night at which they entertained Dr. and Mrs. Harold O. Philp, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Chandler, Mrs. J. J. Walsh of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Bellows, Miss Clara Sturm, Harvey L. Haines and Lawrence Schumacher. Dr. and Mrs. Philp arrived from Illinois last week and are house guests of the Chandlers.

Miss Ritze Entertains.

Miss Nora Ritze entertained the members of the Westminster Guild last night at the usual fortnightly gathering. The study hour was occupied with a review of the first half of "The Promised Land," by Mary Antin, given by Miss Mary Frances Ford. Miss Ritze had the aid of her mother, Mrs. J. L. Ritze and her sister, Mrs. Clara Heath in entertaining during the social and luncheon hour. Among the visiting friends present were Miss Mabel Todd and Miss Barton.

Folk Dances Please.

One of the most pleasing affairs given at the class day festival of the State Normal School Monday, was the folk dances presented by the class taught by Miss Mildred Miller. The dancing of the "May Pole Dance" and the "Colonial Polka" were especially attractive. The class is composed of the Misses Mollie Courtney, Edna Busby, Eulala Kysar, Jennie Pugh, Ada Dinsmore, Dollie Dinsmore, Grace Carey, Edith Collins, Eva Snowberger, Luia Atrill, Flora Andes, Ruth Foster, Maybelle Clayton, Blanche Criswell, Alberta Howard, Bertha Frede and Gladys Goforth.

Tourist Department Meets.

The closing meeting of the Tourist department of the Twentieth Century club was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jim Andy Ford, on South Main street. Mrs. Arthur Brewer was the leader of the program hour and Mrs. W. H. Crawford and Mrs. John Gray readers. The general topic was "Typical of Japan," and the readings given related to food, cooking and home customs. During the business meeting to close the year's work and plan for the coming one, new officers were chosen. They were Mrs. Charles Bellows, chairman; Mrs. C. C. Hellmers vice chairman; Mrs. Rolla Alexander, secretary-treasurer. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Ford invited her guests to remain for tea. Mrs. T. L. Wadley, the retiring chairman of the department, who is ill at St. Francis hospital, was sent a gift of sweet peas by the club members.

Mrs. Robinson Gives Luncheon.

Mrs. James B. Robinson presided at an exquisitely appointed luncheon yesterday at which she entertained the members of the "Over the Tea Cups" club and a few other friends. The handsome luncheon board held a floral centerpiece of yellow iris and the predominant tone used throughout was of yellow. A five course menu was served. Covers were laid for Mrs. G. H. Colbert, Mrs. George Bellows, Mrs. Charles Bellows, Mrs. W. A. Rickensbrode, Mrs. M. G. Tate, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, Mrs. C. C. Corwin, Mrs. Chas. Bell, Mrs. James F. Colby, Mrs. S. G. Gilliam, Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, Mrs. C. S. Jackson, who with the hostess are members of the club, and Mrs. Harold Ford, Mrs. M. J. Honnold, Mrs. Joe Jackson, Jr., Mrs. J. A. Ford, Mrs. Katherine Miller, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mrs. Fred P. Robinson, Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., Mrs. Ray Wilfley and Miss Clara Bellows. The luncheon had

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been arranged to compliment Mrs. Harold Ford of Chicago, who is visiting in the city but she and her mother, Mrs. C. S. Jackson were called to Albia, Ia., yesterday by the death of Mr. Jackson's brother, and were not among the luncheon guests.

Announces Marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aley of 126 South Mulberry street announce the marriage of their daughter, Bessie Elva, to Mr. Victor Lee Johnson, Tuesday, May 18. The marriage took place at the home of the groom's brother, Mr. E. J. Johnson, of Norwood, Ill., and the marriage service was read by the Rev. Mr. Vance, pastor of the Presbyterian church. The newly weds left at once for Maryville, and arrived here this morning, for a visit with Mrs. Johnson's parents. The bride has been teaching for several years in the public schools of Little York, Ill., and has just completed the term this year. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will be at home after June 15, on Mr. Johnson's farm, near Eleanor, Ill.

For Mrs. Walsh.

Mrs. Fayette Bellows entertained the Tuesday afternoon auction bridge club yesterday at the usual meeting. The prize for the high score was won by Miss Clara Sturm. For the pleasure of Mrs. J. J. Walsh of St. Joseph, who was a visiting guest of the club, Mrs. Bellows entertained her afternoon guests at dinner followed by a picture show at the Empire theatre. The party included Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. G. B. Baker, Mrs. W. M. Wallis, Jr., Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Miss Clara Sturm, Miss Delia Grems, Miss May Orear and Mrs. Bellows.

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Market Live Stock.

The following Nodaway county stock men marketed live stock in St. Joseph yesterday.
Sherlock — Co., J. B. Nunnelle and M. K. Riffle, Maryville; W. H. Ramsey, Arkoe; J. Owen, Skidmore.

Final Notice

Do not dump Trash, Grass or any other kind of refuse on the pavement

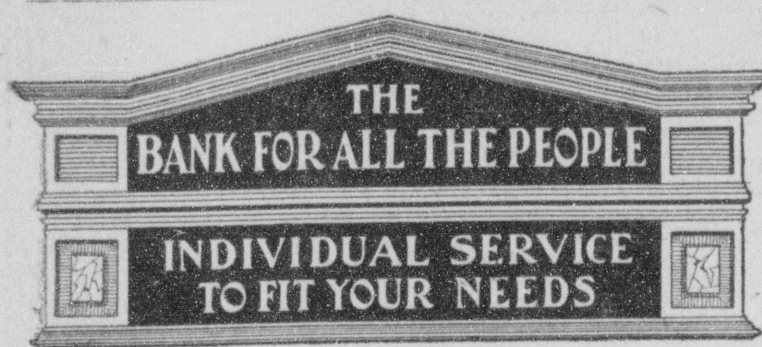
M. A. PEERY
E. M. DRAGOO } Street Committee
H. L. RAINES }

DO you know that right now is one of the very best times of the season to pick out that Spring Suit. While the stocks are still complete and you have a big variety to select from you can easily find just the suit you want.

Our line of Shirts are unusually attractive. Beside the famous Manhattan line we carry a number of other nationally known makes. We'll be glad to have you look through these choice lines.

And we are ready to supply you with anything else that you may need in the Clothing and Shoe line.

M. Nusbaum



OUR YOUNG PEOPLE

THE young man and even the boy should have business dealings with a good bank so that a reputation for reliability may be established early in life.

The reliability of a person does much to gain for him recognition and success.

By using this bank as their depository the young people will be able to learn many of the best principles of business which are found in the simple rules of banking.

Farmers Trust Co.
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
Capital \$200,000.00

SAFETY · COURTESY · SERVICE

Administrator's. Public Sale of Real Estate.

In order to make a Final settlement of the Mary R. Coleman estate, I will sell at public auction Saturday, May 22, 1915, at 2 o'clock p. m., the following real estate residence lots:—Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 in Block 53, Maryville City Company's Addition to Maryville, Missouri. Auction to be held on premises.

This is the Travis Rogers half-block of ground on East First street, later owned by Mary R. Coleman and occupied by John W. Coleman and his family and is one block east of the Culverson Grocery store, facing the south with a one and one-half story residence on the east lot.

This will be sold to the highest bidder for cash as a whole Half block or in single lots to suit purchaser, and I loan the purchaser one-half the purchase price back on the property for five-years with annual options if he so desires

S. H. KEMP,
Administrator D. B. N., C. T. A.
R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer.

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Kitchener Would Retaliate With Poison Fumes In Warfare.

ASKS FOR MORE RECRUITS.

Wants Three Hundred Thousand Men to Form New Armies—Says News From Dardanelles Is Thoroughly Satisfactory to Allies.

WAR SUMMARY

The Austrians have crossed the river San, Vienna reports, and have shelled the west forts of Przemysl. Rains and mists have interfered seriously with the operations in Flanders and France.

London, May 19.—Lord Kitchener stated in the house of lords that the British and French governments felt that the allied troops must be adequately protected against poisonous gases by the employment of similar methods. These would remove the enormous and unjustifiable advantages which must otherwise exist.

"The Germans," said Lord Kitchener, "have persisted in the use of these asphyxiating gases whenever the wind favored or other opportunity occurred, and his majesty's government, no less than the French government, feel that our troops must be adequately protected by the employment of similar methods so as to remove the enormous and unjustifiable disadvantage which must exist for them if we take no steps to meet on his own ground the enemy who is responsible for the introduction of this pernicious practice."

Kitchener said he wanted 300,000 more recruits to form new armies. He expressed his confidence that in the very near future the country would be in a satisfactory position with regard to the supply of ammunition.

The news from the Gallipoli peninsula, in other words the Dardanelles, was thoroughly satisfactory, Earl Kitchener declared.

TEUTONS CROSS RIVER SAN

Western Forts of Przemysl Heavily Bombed.

London, May 19.—A fierce battle is going on in Galicia, the fortress of Przemysl being the objective of great German and Austrian armies. The western forts of Przemysl have been heavily bombed, and between the Russians, and the Dnieper river, the Austro-German armies, attacking with the utmost determination, captured several Russian trenches, although "at the cost of enormous sacrifices," according to the Russian statement.

The Teutonic allies, Vienna reports, have forced a passage of the San river at several points and secured a foothold on the eastern bank. The Russian prisoners taken during the first half of May, the Austrian war office says, numbered 174,000.

Coalition to Rule England.

London, May 19.—Persistent rumors were in circulation in the lobby of the house of commons that a coalition government was about to be formed. Unionist leaders held a conference with Premier Asquith and it is stated that the question of a coalition was settled. It is rumored that A. J. Balfour, former premier, will succeed Winston Spencer Churchill as first lord of the admiralty, the latter taking some other.

South America Press Backs U. S.

Rio Janeiro, May 19.—Commenting on the American note to Germany, the local papers in editorial articles express the view that this communication makes it incumbent on Germany either to make itself hated in North America or cease its "piratical and infamous acts." In defending its interests the papers say the United States is defending the interests of all America.

Missionaries in Turkey Need Food.

Boston, May 19.—The American board of commissioners for foreign missions received the following cablegram from the American ambassador at Constantinople, Henry Morgenthau: "All stations begging relief funds. Some state starvation threatened. Please help quickly." The stations mentioned are the seventeen posts of the board in Turkey.

War With Italy Inevitable.

Amsterdam, May 19.—A dispatch from Berlin says the impression received by a majority of the persons who heard the speech of Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German chancellor, at the opening of the reichstag was that war with Italy was inevitable.

Chagas Recovering From Wounds.

Lisbon, May 19.—Joao Chagas is recovering from the bullet wounds in the head. It is said that the bullets did not penetrate the bone. He still hopes to assume the premiership, in which for the time being he has been replaced by Jose Castro.

Brother of Villa Dies From Wounds.

El Paso, Tex., May 19.—Antonio Villa, a brother of General Francisco Villa, died from wounds received in a brawl at Chihuahua City, according to advices received at Juarez. Several others were killed and wounded.

HOT STOVE CAUSES \$25 FIRE.

Home of A. M. Campbell, East First, Damaged When Wall is Fired. The kitchen at the home of A. M. Campbell, 621 East First street, was damaged to the extent of about \$25 at 8:30 o'clock this morning, when an overheated cook stove fired one of the walls near the stove. The fire department was called, but the flames were virtually under control before assistance came.

ELECT THREE ELMO TEACHERS.

Miss Martha Denny Will Instruct the Intermediate Grades—Cameron Principal.

Miss Martha Denny, daughter of Mrs. Martha Denny, who graduated yesterday from the Normal school, has been elected to teach the intermediate grades of the Elmo schools during the 1915-16 term. Miss Kate House of Grant City, also a student of the Normal, but who taught two years in Worth county, has been elected primary teacher at Elmo.

Miss I. X. Rutledge of Cameron, who has been English teacher in the Cameron high school, will succeed W. A. Wright as principal of the Elmo schools. One high school teacher and the teacher of the grammar grades are yet to be elected.

QUITMAN NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson and Arthur Previtt spent Sunday visiting at the home of A. Johnson.

W. D. McDonald spent Sunday as the guest of Jerry Tarpley at Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. James Young were the hosts of a dinner given Sunday, at which they entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Misses Maggie and Kate Berry and William Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yates and daughters, Edith and Evelyn, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nicholas and children and Mrs. Roy Yates spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hill, near Maryville.

Clarence Hammond is ill with the mumps.

Elmer Daise and Frances Walton spent Sunday with relatives at Skidmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Cross and Mrs. A. Walton of Skidmore spent Saturday visiting in Maryville.

The children of the Centenary Sunday school are preparing for their Children's day program, which is to be given Sunday, May 30.

A full line tennis goods at Crane's.

MILL CREEK NOTES.

Mrs. Emily Nell of Clearmont and Mrs. Eliza Heiney of Logansport, Ind., are guests at the Vail home.

Mrs. Orlo Watson of Elmo is staying with her sister, Mrs. Leslie Williamson, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Williamson and family and Mrs. Orlo Watson and family were the Sunday dinner guests at the home of Harry Vail.

Miss Bessie Vail returned home Saturday after a two weeks stay with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Swaney.

Mrs. Harry Vail spent a short while Monday at the home of her brother, Elmer Swaney.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following warranty deeds were filed in the office of recorder of deeds for the week ending May 15.

B. G. Franklin to John M. Busby, May 18, 1915, part W½ NE 15-64-35, \$1,000.

Jesse E. Grimit et al to John M. Busby, Feb. 24, 1915, part W½ NE 15-64-35, \$400.

Samuel Corrough to F. C. Ware April 2, 1915, Lots 7 to 18 inclusive, Block 1, Corroughs 2nd addition to Arkoe, \$300.

Nick Sturm et al. to Frank H. Roney, April 3, 1915, S½ NE 7-63-35, \$15,000.

George B. Baker to William A. Morehouse, May 4, 1915, Lots 5, 6, 7, and 8, Block 13, Charles 1st addition to Maryville, \$1,600.

Andrew J. Roof et al to Frank E. & Camilla White, May 12, 1915, Lots 1 and 2, Block 8, Parnell, \$800.

Halbert R. Catterson to Omer Catterson, March 1, 1915, Lot 2, NW and part Lot 1 NE 5-64-35, \$10,000.

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SUBSEA ACTIVITY DISCONTINUED

Kaiser Orders Submarines Be Idle During Parleys.

BERLIN REPLY IS POSTPONED.

Italian War Cloud and Possibility of United States Sending Allies Notes of Protest With Respect to Violations of International Law Factors.

New York, May 19.—Orders suspending submarine operations against merchant vessels have been issued by the German government pending the outcome of negotiations regarding the representations made by this government in President Wilson's note, according to a Washington dispatch to the Times.

The Times says the information was obtained in "a well informed quarter" after cable press dispatches had said a German submarine fired a torpedo at the liner Transylvania on its trip from New York to Glasgow, which ended Monday.

It was stated at this source of information that the report about the Transylvania could not be correct. "For the reason that submarine activity had been discontinued by the German government."

Reply Delayed.

Washington, May 19.—Two important factors are working to delay for another week Germany's reply to the American note of May 13, sent as a consequence of the Lusitania disaster. First, the next few days are expected to decide whether Germany will be confronted with a new military situation by the entrance of Italy into the war. Second, interested diplomats here believe the interim of delay will reveal whether the United States, of its own initiative, will send a general protest to the allies with respect to the alleged violations of the international law by interfering with commerce between American ports and neutral countries of Europe.

PUSH CASH REGISTER CASE

Department of Justice Files Petition For Writ.

Washington, May 19.—The department of justice filed in the supreme court a petition for a writ of certiorari to bring the criminal anti-trust case against the officers of the National Cash Register company of Dayton, O., before that tribunal.

John H. Patterson and other officers of the company were convicted of conspiracy to violate the anti-trust law in the United States district court for the Southern district of Ohio, but the convictions were reversed by the federal circuit court of appeals.

"This," says a brief filed with the petition, "is one of the most criminal cases ever brought under the anti-trust law. The indictment charged that by the use of practically all known means of unfair competition the defendants have ruined and forced out of business a great number of competing cash register companies and acquired 95 per cent of the cash register trade of the United States."

Ordered to Suspend Dividends.

San Francisco, May 19.—The United Railways, operating most of the street railway lines in San Francisco, was ordered by the railroad commission of California to pay no more dividends "in the absence of any plan for restitution" of \$1,696,000 withdrawn from the company's treasury on a note by Patrick Calhoun, former president of the company.

Boy Hit in Head by Pitched Ball Dead.

Chicago, May 19.—Walter Jannusch, eighteen years old, died of concussion of the brain, caused by a pitched ball, which struck the youth in the head during an amateur game at Des Plaines. A coroner's jury exonerated the pitcher.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, May 19.—Closing prices: Wheat—May, \$1.33½; July, \$1.26½. Corn—May, 73½¢; July, 75½¢. Oats—May, 51½¢; July, 60½¢. Pork—July, \$17.95; Sept., \$18.25. Lard—July, \$9.60; Sept., \$9.82½. Ribs—July, \$10.50; Sept., \$10.75. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.54½@1.55½; No. 2 yellow corn, 75½¢@76¢; No. 3 white oats, 52½¢@53½¢; standard, 53½¢@54½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

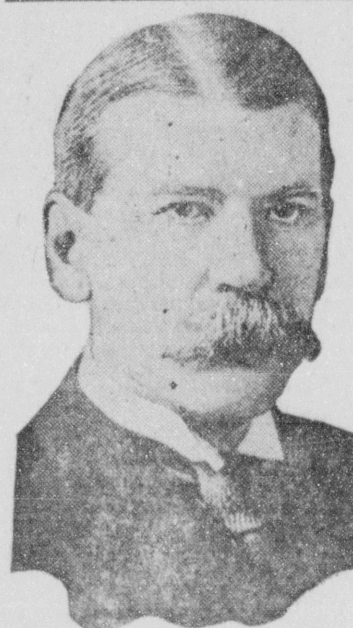
Chicago, May 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady; native beef steers, \$6.90@7.25; westerns, \$6@7.90; cows and heifers, \$3.25@6.50. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; slow, 5¢@10¢ lower; bulk of sales, \$7.60@7.70; light, \$7.45@7.75; heavy, \$7.20@7.70; rough, \$7.20@7.35; pigs, \$5.75@7.30. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; weak; sheep, \$7.80@8.55; lambs, \$7.75@10.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, May 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,500; stronger; beef steers, \$7.50@9; cows and heifers, \$3.75@7.85; stockers and feeders, \$6@7.80; bulls, \$5.50@7.25; calves, \$8@10.75. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; 10¢@15¢ lower; bulk of sales, \$7.25@7.30; top, \$7.40. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; 5¢@15¢ lower; lambs, \$8.60@11.10; wethers, \$8@9; ewes, \$7.60@8.90.

GEN. HORACE PORTER.

Heads the Navy League of United States and Asks \$500,000,000 For Fleet.



SAYS BOSTON WOMEN MAKE BEST SLUGGERS

Superior to Those of New York, Asserts Dopey Benny.

New York, May 19.—Operations of the gangsters employed by officials of labor unions to intimidate the employers in clothing trades strikes extend from New York to other large cities, according to evidence, the substance of which was disclosed by District Attorney Perkins. Much of this evidence was given in the confession of "Dopey Benny" Fein.

The district attorney, it was stated, has tracked one group of gunmen from the headquarters of a union here to those of a union in Cleveland, where there was a strike in the clothing trade in 1913.

The district attorney has learned that women as well as men were sent to Philadelphia to attack women strikebreakers and that after the end of the strike the unions complained that the women were not as efficient as the men. The women were then taught by Fein how to use umbrellas weighted with lead slugs, and hatspin upon victims. Boston women hired for intimidation purposes were considered superior to those from New York, according to Fein.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League	American League
W.L. P.	W.L. P.
Phila. . . 17 9 654	New York 16 8 667
Chicago . . 16 11 593	Detroit . . 18 11 621
Boston . . 14 11 560	Chicago . . 18 12 609
Brooklyn 13 14 481	Washington 12 14 462
Pittsburgh 13 15 494	Boston . . 13 9 409
St. Louis 13 17 423	Cleveland 11 16 407
Cincinnati 11 15 423	Phila. . . 9 18 333
New York 10 15 400	St. Louis 10 19 345
Federal League	American Ass'n.
Pittsburgh 19 11 633	Indianapolis 19 11 623
Chicago . . 17 13 567	Louisville 16 14 523
Newark . . 17 12 586	Milwaukee 16 12 552
Brooklyn 16 13 552	St. Paul . . 14 14 500
Kan. City 15 13 536	Columbus 10 20 333
St. Louis 12 14 462	Cleveland 11 16 407
Baltimore 12 18 40	Kan. City 14 11 440
Buffalo . . 8 21 278	Minneapolis 10 13 435
Western League	W.L. P.
Topeka . . 15 7 682	St. Joe . . 11 10 524
Denver . . 10 8 556	Lincoln . . 9 10 474
Omaha . . 12 10 545	Soo City . . 10 16 385
Des Moines 13 10 565	Wichita . . 6 14 300

BASEBALL RESULTS

National League	R.H.E.
At Philadelphia: . . . 3 0 0 0 2 0 0 0	5 8 0
St. Louis 3 0 0 0 0 0 2 0	2 4 3
Doak, Snyder; Demaree-Burns.	
At Boston: 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1	2 4 3
Boston 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0	3 7 3
Harmon-Schang; James-Gowdy.	
At Brooklyn: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 8 2
Cincinnati 0 2 0 0 0 2 0 0	4 5 1
Brooklyn 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0	4 5 1
Brown-Doolin; Pfeffer-McCarthy.	
At New York: 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1 3 0
Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 5 0
Humphries-Archer; Tesreau-Meyers.	
American League	R.H.E.
At Chicago: 3 2 0 0 0 0 1 0	6 10 3
Philadelphia 3 2 0 0 1 3 1 1	11 12 4
Bush-McAvoy; Faber-Schalk.	
Federal League	R.H.E.
At Pittsburgh: 3 2 0 0 0 0 1 2	0 5 1
Newark 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 6 4
Pittsburgh 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 6 4
Kaiserling-Rariden; Allen-Berry.	
Western League	R.H.E.
At Sioux City: 3 0 0 2 0 0 0 0	5 11 5
Sioux City 3 0 0 2 0 0 0 0	10 14 0
Hallman-Crisp; Grover-Tonneman.	
At Des Moines: 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1	2 3 8
Des Moines 4 0 0 0 1 2 1 2	10 10 0
Arellanes-Spahr; Thomas-Breen.	
American Association	R.H.E.
At St. Paul: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 5 1
Columbus 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1 3 1
St. Paul 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1 3 1
Davis-Coleman; Steele-Johnson.	
At Milwaukee: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2 6 3
Louisville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	5 7 3
Milwaukee 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	5 7 3

DEMOCRAT-FORUM

WANT ADS

For Results. For Results. Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 50¢ for three days. Interruptions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—To small family, 5-room apartment with bath, sleeping porch, laundry attachment, strictly modern, both well and city water, \$16 per month. Charles Hyslop. 14-1f

FOR RENT—8-room modern residence at 222 East Sixth. Possession June 1. See Real Estate bank or address E. S. Cook, Jefferson, Gravois and Sidney Sts., St. Louis, Mo. 15-1f

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—100 automobiles and buggies to paint. Barmann Auto Co. 6-6

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co. 21-f

LAWN MOWERS sharpened and repaired at Armstrong's foundry. 21-f

WANTED—Work through summer, farm work preferred. Farmers phone 218. 17-19

WANTED—Lady to do sewing at 222 W. Fourth street. Phone 3351. 18-19

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, a limited number of sows, bred to suit purchaser. A. B. Dowden, Farmers phone 1-13. 10-1f

FOR SALE—Four bulls. Shorthorn and Hereford. M. A. Nicholas, Farmers phone 2812. 12-19

VICTROLAS TO TRADE—We will trade new victrolas and records for used piano. Phone or write and we will call on you. Landon Music Co. 14-20

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good 12-inch soft seat, all leather saddle, and coaster brake bicycle. 269 W. Secon. Phone 369. 18-20

Lost.

LOST—Friendship bracelet containing seven links, Sunday night. Return to this office. 18-20

LOST—Small leather purse containing two one-dollar bills and small change. Return here. 17-19

LOST—Nodaway Valley bank book, Boone County National bank book and Alpha Delta Sigma fraternity pin. Liberal reward for return to this office. 18-20

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending